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yet."

"Why do you have the cheek to
call yourself a lady's maid?"
"I don't since I got this job."

Then there was the golfing
colonel who went round in 103
strokes, including one apoplectic

"Erbert: 'Ull! Who gave you the
black eye?'
"Oraces: 'Nobody. I'd ter fight
like 'ell ter it."

One never knows how a son is
going to turn out nowadays. No,
nor when a daughter is going to
turn in."

A champion boxer says he is go-
ing to give up fighting when he gets
married. This is just the time
many people start.

Convict 990—"Say Bill, I'm going
to have a real red-hot time when
I get out—ain't you?"
Convict 13—"I hope not. I'm in
for life."

"If you want to remember some-
thing, tie a piece of string around
your finger."

"If you want to forget every-
thing, tie a piece of rope around
your neck."

A city teacher set his pupils the
unusual task of revising any pro-
verb they pleased, giving it a
modern significance of a humor-
ous nature if possible. One of the
best handed in was the follow-
ing:—

"Uneasy lies the head that bears
a croon."

The golfer had lost his ball, and
not unnaturally, was inclined to
be annoyed with his caddy.

"Why the deuce didn't you watch
where it went?" he asked angrily.
"Well, sir," said the boy, "it
don't usually go anywhere, and so
it took me unprepared like."

TAI CHI TAO SAILS FOR BERLIN

To See Wang Ching Wei
In Europe

Shanghai, May 20.
Mr. Tai Chi-tao, President of the
Examination Yuan, who is repre-
senting the Chinese Government
at the World Olympics, left for
Berlin this morning by the N.D.L.
liner Gneisenau.

"It is reported that he will at-
tempt to persuade Mr. Wang
Ching-wei to return to Nanking in
November to participate in the
National People's Congress."

Reuter.

INEQUALITY OF VERSAILLES

Dr. Goebels Denounces
The Treaty

("Hong Kong Daily Press" Special)

Leipzig, May 20.
A glaring denunciation of the
Versailles Treaty by Dr. Goebels,
was the feature of the final day
of the Congress of German Jurists,
officially known as "Guardians of
the Law," held here.

Criticising the Versailles Treaty
from a legal point of view, Dr.
Goebels said it came about in an
illegal manner, and that its legal
title to the inequality of Germany
was not based on Germany's signa-
ture but on the threat of force.
Hitler had thus taken his stand
on a higher conception of law for
his and the other European
peoples, when he submitted new

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ROYAL NAVY

Aden Naval Base

London, May 6.
Further appointments have re-
cently been announced to H.M.S.
Norfolk III, which is the official
designation of the naval base at
Aden. The Norfolk herself is the
flagship on the East Indies Sta-
tion, and the Norfolk II signifies
the naval base at Colombo. Since
the reinforcement of the naval
forces in the vicinity of the Red
Sea a number of officers have been
appointed to H.M.S. Norfolk III
various dates from September 13,
1935. The senior of these officers
is Captain D. B. Fisher, O.B.E.,
formerly commanding the sloop
Bideford, in the Persian Gulf.
Commander P. K. Enright, who
for the past two years has been
executive officer at Shotley train-
ing establishment, has now been
appointed to the Norfolk III, and
will succeed Commander R. M.
Southern. Commander Enright
has just completed 26 years in the
Navy, which he entered as a boy
from the Royal Hospital School,
Greenwich. He was promoted to
commissioned rank as a mate dur-
ing the War. Two of his brothers
have also attained commissioned
rank, one of whom, Commander
Edward Enright, now retired, was
in the first group of mates on the
introduction of this scheme of
promotion in 1912.

RETURN OF CAPE TOWN

The following is the programme
approved for the return to Eng-
land of the cruiser Capetown,
Captain D. A. Budgen, for recom-
missioning:—Colombo, May 7-9;
Aden, May 16; Suez, May 21-22;
Port Said, May 22; Gibraltar, May
29-June 1; Plymouth, June 5. Cap-
tain Cuthbert Coppinger, D.S.C.,
is to command the Capetown when
she recommissions, and she will
return to the China Station.

PAYMASTER COMMANDER DURMAN

Paymaster Commander R. F.
Durman, O.B.E., has been placed on
the retired list on completing 11
years' seniority in that rank. He
entered the Navy as an assistant
clerk on July 15, 1903, when he
was appointed to the battleship
Russell, Captain Alfred Winsloe,
in the Mediterranean. The gun-
nery officer of the Russell at that
date was Lieutenant Roger Back-
house, now Admiral and Com-
mander-in-Chief of the Home
Fleet. During the War Paymaster
Commander Durman was Secretary
to Rear-Admiral R. S. Phipps
Hornby, in H.M.S. Glory, North
Atlantic, until August, 1915, when
he became accountant officer of
the monitor Prince Eugene on the
Belgian coast. Later in the War
he was employed on special ser-
vice at the Admiralty. He was
Secretary of the New Zealand
Naval Board from 1932 to 1935.

CHINA FLEET CLUB

The Commander-in-Chief in
China has asked that the thanks
of the China Fleet may be con-
veyed to the units who have con-
tributed to the China Fleet Club
building fund. During 1935 their
subscriptions amounted to \$5,583.
31. The amount at present out-
standing is \$360,000, on which in-
terest of \$15,000 a year has to be
paid before a profit can be shown.
The Commander-in-Chief points
out how welcome further contri-
butions will be.

facts for those intolerable para-
graphs.

Dr. Goebels ended his speech
saying: "Peace and prosperity can
only be based on justice and we
want to see this justice triumph."
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DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

THURSDAY, MAY 21

Anniversaries and Holidays:—
Ascension Day. Holy Thursday.
Small Fullness. (Hsiao-man.)

Cinemas

King's:—"Show Them No
Mercy!"
Queen's:—"The Case Of The Lucky
Legs."
Central:—"Chinese Picture."
Oriental:—"The Case Of The
Curious Bride."
World:—"The Beast Of Borneo."
Alhambra:—"Exclusive Story."
Majestic:—"The Marines are
Coming."

Star:—"Four Hours To Kill!"
Meetings:—Annual, The Cantol.
Insurance Office, Ltd., at Messrs.
Jardine, Matheson & Co., noon;
Victoria Chess Club, 5.30 p.m.;
Theosophical Society, 6 p.m.;
T.C. Group, 8.30 p.m.; Annual H.K.
Society for the Prevention of
Cruelty to Animals, at Gloucester
Bldg. (8th floor), 5.30 p.m.
Miscellaneous:—St. Andrew's Wo-
men's Fellowship, 3 p.m.
Social:—Tombola on board H.M.S.
Tamar, 7.15 p.m.; Civil Service
Cricketer Club Whist Drive, 9 p.m.;
Matached Church Whist Drive, 7.30
p.m.; Cheero Club Bridge and Mah
Jong Drive, 8 p.m.

Sports

Lawn Bowls:—Open Pairs Cham-
pionship, J. McKelvie and J. V.
Ramsay v. B. Basto and G. M. P.
Remedios (Kowloon C. C. Green).
C. Roza Pereira and C. G. Silva v.
A. Steven and J. A. R. Selby (Kow-
loon B. C. Green). F. A. Machado
and H. F. Rozario v. J. Macdonald
and A. M. Holland (Kowloon Dock
Green). T. Coleman and G. W.
Mitchell v. D. S. C. Alves and F.
V. V. Ribeiro (Police R. C. Green).
L. J. Silva and H. A. Alves v. F. M.
el Arculli and A. Bakar (Civil
Service Green). C. H. Basto and J.
J. Basto v. A. E. Coates and J.
Cavanagh (Football Club Green),
5 p.m.
Racing:—Entries Close for Sixth
Extra Race Meeting, noon.
Moon:—New Moon, 4.35 a.m. IV
Moon 1st Day.
Sunrise:—5.41 a.m. Sunset:—6.59
p.m.
Tides:—High at 8.50 and 23.04;
Low at 2.26 and 18.10.

FRIDAY, MAY 22

Anniversaries and Holidays:—
St. Rita of Cascia, W.
Auctions:—Crown Lands, at Dis-
trict Office, South, 11 a.m.
Cinemas
King's:—"Show Them No
Mercy!"
Queen's:—"Frisco Kid."
Central:—"Chinese Picture."
Oriental:—"Rendezvous."
World:—"The Beast Of Borneo."
Alhambra:—"Follow The Fleet."
Majestic:—"The Last Outpost."
Star:—"Hands Across The Table."
Entertainments:—Herr Kempff's
Concert, at the German Club, 5.45
p.m.

Lectures:—Helena May Christian
Fellowship Meeting, 10.30 a.m.
Meetings:—Annual, of Union In-
surance Society of Canton, Ltd.,
The China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.,
and British Traders' Insurance
Co., Ltd., at Head Office, Union
Building, 11 a.m., 11.20 a.m., and
11.25 a.m., respectively; Kowloon
Chess Club, 5.30 p.m.

Miscellaneous:—Cheero Club
Jumble Sale; Annual Dinner and
Dance of Euro-American Returned
Students' Union, at Hongkong
Hotel Roof Garden, 8 p.m.

Social:—R. E. W. O's and S/N.
C. S's Mess, Whist Drive and Tom-
bola, 8.45 p.m.; Cheero Club Dup-
licate Contract Bridge Hands.
Moon:—IV Moon, 2nd Day.
Sunrise:—5.41 a.m.; Sunset:—7
p.m.

Tides:—High at 9.34 and 23.55;
Low at 3.00 and 18.55.

THE ARMY

London, May 7.

Major B. C. Lake, D.S.O., has
been selected for command of the
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Murray, D.S.O., whose tenure ex-
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GRAMMAR EASIEST IN EUROPE

London, April 29. English is advocated as a world language in a letter addressed to the Press and signed by a number of distinguished people. The letter adds that, though English is spoken by nearly 200,000,000 as their native language, and its grammar is the simplest in Europe, its spelling is the most difficult and irregular.

The letter continues: "In learning English foreigners need to learn not only one, but two languages—one for writing and another for speaking. Many teachers tell us our difficult spelling causes the loss of at least a year in the education of our children and students."

There is now a widely expressed and increasing desire that the possibility of simplifying English spelling and pronunciation should be investigated and considered by a small representative committee, including scholars, teachers, publishers and business men. We desire to support the request for the appointment of such a committee.

The signatories are:—
Lord Baden Powell, the Archbishop of York, Sir Hari Singh Gour, Sir W. H. Radow, Sir G. B. Hunter, Mr. Aldous Huxley, Prof. Julian Huxley, Sir Samuel Instone, Sir William Jowett, Dr. Louis J. Lemieux (Agent-General for Quebec), Prof. A. Lloyd James, Sir John Murray, Prof. Gilbert Murray, Mr. S. O'Keefe (High Commissioner for Southern Rhodesia), Sir Richard Paget, Sir Frederick Pollock, Miss Eleanor Rathbone, M.P., Mr. Walton Ripman (Chief Inspector of Schools, University of London), Sir Michael Sadler, the Bishop of Sheffield, Sir Daniel Stevenson, Mr. John Stewart (Lord Provost of Glasgow), Sir William J. Thomson, Sir Montagu de P. Webb, Mr. Sydney Walton, Bishop Weldon, and Mr. H. G. Wells.

The late Bishop of Salisbury, Dr. Donaldson, had also signed the letter.

BOY STAR LOSES PENSION

Freddie Bartholomew

Montreal, May 7. Freddie Bartholomew, the boy film star who earns about £15,000 a year, has been deprived of a Canadian war pension of £36 a year which he has received since his birth.

He was awarded this as a dependent of his father, Mr. Cecil Bartholomew, who lost a leg while serving with the Canadian forces in the war.

Mr. C. G. Power, the Pensions Minister, has decided that the pension is to cease as from August, 1935. Since then the boy has risen to fame and fortune through his playing of the part of David Copperfield, and is no longer dependent on his father.

Mr. Bartholomew has refunded the amounts received on the boy's behalf since August.

MASS POISON CASE SOLVED

Gaertner Germ Blamed For Deaths In Japan

Hamamatsu, May 15. Disease-producing bacteria, known in the medical profession as the Gaertner germ, were blamed to-night for the death of 45 students and teachers of the First Hamamatsu Middle School. They also caused 1,810 others to require medical care.

The cause of the mass poisoning, which followed the consumption of rice-cakes at the school's annual sports meeting last Sunday, was established this evening as Dr. Midorikawa, director of health of Shizuoka Prefecture, succeeded in making a culture of the deadly germ. This substantiated the diagnosis of Dr. Masaji Kita of the Army Medical College.

The bacteria, which appear in most forms of food poisoning, according to experts, usually are fatal in only about five to ten cases out of 100.

AIR SERVICES

Subsidies Allowed

EXTENSION OF ROUTES

London, May 19. In moving the financial resolution in the House of Commons this evening providing for an increased annual subsidy for Air Transport from one million to fifteen hundred thousand pounds and empowering the Air Ministry to enter into long-term agreements with transport undertakings, the Under-Secretary for Air said that the scheme was designed to secure, firstly, the striking acceleration of schedules, secondly, the great increase in frequencies of services, and lastly, the carriage, in so far as concerns the United Kingdom of all first class Mail matter within the Empire by air at the rate of three half-pence per half ounce. As to acceleration they would work by degrees to a two days and a half schedule to East Africa, a four days and a half schedule to South Africa, a six to seven days schedule to Australia, a two days and half schedule to India, and a four days and half schedule to Singapore.

DUPLICATION

As to the frequencies of services to South Africa and Singapore, they were already duplicated. If the whole scheme could be brought into operation as originally planned there would ultimately be nine services weekly to Egypt, five to India, three to East Africa and Singapore, and two to Australia and South Africa respectively. Negotiations for the extension of the Australian services to New Zealand were in progress.

When all services for which they were planning were brought to fruition, the United Kingdom would be operating a route, mileage of over 41,000 miles—nearly twice the route mileage which any other country except the United States was operating to-day—and the route mileage of the Empire as a whole would then exceed even that of America. Sir Philip Sassoon added they might criticise the subsidies in general but without subsidies the Empire services would terminate forthwith.

POSTAL CONTRACTS

Postal contracts in place of subsidies would be no remedy for any contract which would enable the Empire routes to be operated without separate subsidy, would involve the Post Office in losses such as had been incurred in the United States. That was merely the concealment of subsidy. The British method—the adoption of which in America has been urged by an important Government commission—enable Parliament, tax payer and general public to see much more clearly where they stood. Air subsidies per ton mile carried in the latest year for which there were figures, appeared to have been about nine shillings in France, about four shillings in Germany and eleven shillings in Italy, while subsidy paid to the Imperial Airways was now down to something under two shillings.—*British Wireless.*

NEW NAVY WORK

Rosyth As Training Depot

London, May 5. Lord Stanley, the Financial Secretary to the Admiralty, announced in the House of Commons last evening that the new construction work for the Navy would mainly be done by contract.

The only ships to be built in the Royal Dockyards would be two small cruisers, a submarine, and two sloops. The dock yards would be fully employed in the programme of repair and reconstruction.

That means that nearly every one of the new ships required for the Navy this financial year, ending March, 1937, and probably in subsequent years, will be allocated chiefly to the Clyde, the Tyne, and Belfast.

MORE WITNESSES QUESTIONED

In Budget Leakage

London, May 19. The inquiry into the alleged leakage of Budget information was continued to-day. A number of witnesses were re-examined by the Tribunal. The Attorney General then intimated that all the evidence in his possession had been put before the Tribunal and the Council engaged in the case stated they

SIR H. AUSTIN'S £250,000 GIFT TO SCIENCE

Research Work At Cambridge

MONEY FOR COSTLY EXPERIMENTS

London, May 1. Sir Herbert Austin, the motor-car manufacturer, it was announced last night, is making a gift of £250,000 to Cambridge University for scientific research at the Cavendish Laboratory.

The gift was made known in the following letter to Mr. Baldwin, Chancellor of the University.

Lickey Grange, April 29, 1935.

"Dear Mr. Baldwin, "I have for several years been watching the very valuable work done by Lord Rutherford and his colleagues at Cambridge in the realm of scientific research and knowing that as Chancellor you are keenly interested in obtaining sufficient funds to build, equip and endow a very much needed addition to the present resources, I shall be very pleased indeed to present securities to the value of approximately £250,000 for this purpose.

"I am, yours sincerely,

"H. AUSTIN."

In thanking Sir Herbert, Mr. Baldwin writes:—

"There can be no greater encouragement to the men who devote themselves to scientific research than to feel that their work is appreciated by those engaged in industry, the progress and development of whose businesses depend so much on the laboratories of our country.

Your noble gift, will be invaluable at this time to Cambridge, and the benefits arising from its applications will be available for the civilised world."

It is understood that a part of the money will be devoted to rebuilding the research block of the laboratory and providing for costly experiments now in progress.

MANY PUBLIC GIFTS

The Cavendish Laboratory, of which Lord Rutherford is the present director, has taken a leading part in recent research in physics, including the "splitting of the atom" and experiments "on the transmutation of matter."

Sir Herbert Austin has made many recent public gifts. Last week he announced that he would defray the cost, £7,000, of a radium bomb for Birmingham United Hospital, and he has given large sums to the Birmingham General Hospital, the London Cancer Hospital and other hospitals.

DAMAGES AGAINST WOMAN GOLFER

London, May 7. Damages amounting to £103 9s. 6d. were awarded by Judge Harrington at Wandsworth County Court to-day in a case in which Miss Diana Fishwick, the international golfer, of Knowle Hill, Westworth, was the defendant.

A claim for damages was made by Miss Jane Clarke, aged 70, of Wilton-road, Hammersmith, who, it was alleged, was knocked down by a car driven by Miss Fishwick, in Collett-gardens, Hammersmith, in March 1935.

The case first came up for trial at West London County Court on October 11, 1935, before Judge Hargreaves. He found for Miss Fishwick with costs. On January 30 this year the case came before the Appeal Court, which ordered a new trial.

At the re-trial, Judge Harrington said that he would prefer to visit the scene of the accident before giving judgment.

IF SHE HAD SWERVED In giving judgment to-day Judge Harrington said that the only explanation of why Miss Fishwick was unable to see Miss Clarke was that she was looking in front of her while driving. He could not accept this explanation because the road was narrow and she could have seen Miss Clarke if she had been keeping a proper look-out.

Miss Fishwick could have avoided the accident if she had swerved to the side.

The judge added that it was a remarkable accident and should never have occurred.

did not wish to call any other witnesses. The inquiry was adjourned till tomorrow morning when the Council will address the Tribunal.—*British Wireless.*

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Fry hamburger and chopped onion in large skillet until meat is cooked. Add catsup and cook until mixture appears oily. Then add beans and repeat as before, allowing to cook until mixture appears dry. Then serve. This can be prepared and kept in refrigerator to be heated when desired for serving. It is a most acceptable Sunday night supper dish and makes a popular after-theatre luncheon.

SPANISH GOULASH

14 pounds ground meat
1 small onion
8 ounce package spaghetti
1 can tomatoes
1 small bottle catsup
Cook spaghetti in salt water for approximately ten minutes. Drain. Fry ground meat and chopped onion in skillet. Pour into baking dish. Add spaghetti and mix well. Add tomatoes and catsup and season to taste. Bake approximately 45 minutes at 450 degrees F. Serve hot. One cup of left-over boiled rice may be included, and left-over meat or hamburger may be used, if desired.

CHEESE TASTIES

Here are two easily-prepared savouries or dinner or an after-theatre supper.
Savoury Toast.—Make several slices of toast, trim to equal size, and butter on one side. Cut thin slices of cooked ham to size to cover toast slices. Mix together breadcrumbs, grated cheese, chopped parsley, and butter, and spread a thick layer of this on the ham. Put in a hot oven for a few minutes to brown on the surface.
Tongue Fingers.—Dice up any remains of cold cooked tongue and mix with sufficient good white sauce. Make tongue and sauce hot and add the beaten yolks of two eggs and a tablespoonful of grated cheese and season to taste. Stir all together and make thoroughly hot. Pile the mixture up on broad fingers of buttered toast, sprinkle a little grated cheese on top of

LAMB A LA FRIGIDAIRE

2 cups diced, cooked lamb
1 cup cooked tomatoes
1 egg
2 tablespoons salt
2 tablespoons butter or other cooking fat
2 cups boiled rice
1 cup bread crumbs
Line a deep baking dish with the rice, beaten egg, and melted butter, mixed all together. Fill with alternate layers of lamb and tomato. Season each layer with salt. Top with finely ground bread crumbs. Bake approximately 30 minutes at 450 degrees F.

FROZEN HORSE RADISH SAUCE

1 cup whipping cream
1 cup bottled grated horseradish
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon lemon juice
Whip cream. Fold into it the remaining ingredients. Place in refrigerator freezing tray to freeze.

TARTAR SAUCE

1 cup mayonnaise
1 tablespoon sour pickled cucumbers, finely minced
1 tablespoon finely minced onion
Mix all ingredients thoroughly. A tablespoon of capers may be added if desired.

FRENCH WAYS WITH FISH

Two favourite French dishes, seldom served in this country are Fish Pate. Any fish which is not full of small bones may be used for this. Skin and bone the fish, and cut half of it, choosing the best and thickest pieces, into fingers. Flake the rest as finely as possible and add to its weight in breadcrumbs and butter. The breadcrumbs should be soaked in milk and drained. Make into a paste with the butter and the yolk of one egg, season with salt, pepper and chopped parsley, and add some chopped mushrooms if liked. Butter a casserole, put in a layer of fish mixture and on this place a layer of fish fingers sprinkled with salt, pepper and a pinch of dried mixed herbs. Continue in layers till the casserole is nearly full. The last layer should be the fish mixture. Place some small pieces of butter on top, put the cover on the casserole, and bake in a moderate oven for two hours and a half.

This delicious pate may be eaten hot with mushroom aux fines herbs which are prepared thus: Peel the mushrooms, drop them into cold water, to which a little vinegar has been added, and drain them. Put a piece of butter the size of an egg into a saucepan with a teaspoonful of salad oil, pepper, salt, chopped parsley and dried herbs. Add the mushrooms and cook till they are soft. Serve very hot with the pate and quarters of lemon.

If the pate is to be eaten cold, leave it in the casserole till the latter is quite cold, then turn it on to a dish, garnish with quarters of lemon and parsley, and serve with any kind of salad.

Fish in white wine. White fish should be filleted and the skin removed. Use a fireproof dish which can be served at table. Place a piece of butter the size of a walnut in the dish and when it has melted add some chopped parsley, finely chopped chives, salt and pepper. Place the fillets of fish on top and cover with a layer of chopped chives, parsley and breadcrumbs. Onions may be used instead of chives. Pour in a large wine-glassful of white wine, put small pieces of butter on top and bake in a moderate oven.

These dishes are usually served without vegetables. If vegetables are required mash carrots, parsnips, or turnips are best. Young vegetables should be served whole, with butter, rather than mashed. If no vegetables are served, a lit-

CHOCOLATE SEVILLE PUDDING

Cream together two ounces of butter and two ounces of sugar and then beat in two eggs, yolks and half a teaspoonful of vanilla essence. Dissolve three ounces of grated chocolate in half a pint of milk and add it to the creamed mixture with six ounces of breadcrumbs and a pinch of salt. Beat all thoroughly and then "fold in" lightly the stiffly beaten whites of the two eggs. Put two tablespoonfuls of orange marmalade in the bottom of a greased bowl and pour in the mixture. Cover with a greased paper and steam steadily for one and three-quarter hours. Serve with marmalade sauce.

APPLE SPONGE

Here is a light sweet, equally good hot or cold. Peel, core and slice two apples, and stew them until soft with two tablespoonfuls of water, and two tablespoonfuls of sugar. Add a small piece of butter, and rub through a sieve. Beat the yolks of two small eggs with two tablespoonfuls of sweetened condensed milk; beat in the apple and two small crumbled spongecakes. Whisk the whites of the two eggs to a stiff froth and fold half into the mixture, which should then be baked in a buttered dish in a moderate oven for half an hour. Add a little sugar to the rest of the white, put on top of the pudding, and brown slightly.

STEWED BEEF AND CELERY SAUCE

INGREDIENTS

Cold beef, three roots of celery, one pint of gravy, and two onions. Cut the celery into small pieces; put them into a stewpan with the gravy and onions, and let them simmer until the celery is tender. To make the gravy cut all the meat off the bone, which should be broken up and together with the meat, put into a saucepan of water; now season with salt and pepper, let it boil for half an hour, and then take it up and skim it. Cut the beef into rather thick pieces, stew them gently for ten minutes, and serve with fried potatoes.

A rack of dry toast should be given to each guest, as well as the usual bread roll.

MR. BALDWIN ON BRITAIN'S AIR STRENGTH

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NO CONSCRIPTION PLEDGE

London, May 2.
Mr. Baldwin, speaking in the Albert Hall yesterday, declared that the knowledge abroad of Britain's strength in the air and preparation for defence would be the surest guarantee of peace and the greatest deterrent to war.

While his Government would never introduce conscription in time of peace, this freedom did not absolve the nation from responsibility. Britain's supreme peril to-day came from the air, and it was in the air that the biggest effort was being made to strengthen our defences.

Young men could render no greater service than by filling up the ranks of the Territorial Army—which would form the ground-work of those defences.

"Difficult as these times are," Mr. Baldwin added, "I am convinced that there are few people living in this country, however much they may grumble, who would exchange it for any other."

"MY WHOLE AIM IS PEACE"

"My whole aim as Prime Minister," he continued, "is peace, I do not say that in a spirit of cowardice; I say it because I realise what modern war means to Europe."

There were too many unknown and incalculable factors in the political situation for easy or early solution.

"I can only pledge myself to you that everything the Government can do to secure and maintain peace is being done and will be done."

"We in this country who know what freedom in religion means, have seen in other countries assaults on religion and on teachers of religion that we had believed would have been impossible in this century."

"The sight of these things and of other events since the war—the fall of Constitutions and the fall of Monarchies—has convinced us now essential it is to maintain our freedom. But that demands vigilance."

"I believe the position of the Crown in this country is more firmly embedded in the hearts of the people than it has ever been. It is the greatest bulwark of a free democracy against despotism and tyranny from any quarter."

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HITLER URGES CHILDREN TO BE HARD

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MAY DAY EVENT

London, May 2.
"Be hard," Hitler urged the children of Germany gathered for yesterday's May Day celebration in Berlin. "We have no use for mothers' darlings," he said. "We need youth who will become strong men and strong women, who will not capitulate if anything should go wrong."

"You have the good fortune to be the heirs of this generation, which has achieved things which many considered to be impossible. Germany has overcome her weaknesses. You are witnesses of her recovery."

"But our times are still under the shadow of the past. There are still people who cannot liberate themselves from the fetters of their education. But you, who have not this handicap, you must never be selfish. You must think always of the whole nation. You must do this if our people are to survive in the world."

THINK SOBERLY

"We want you to be of strong character. Think soberly. Decline all that is evil. We want you to learn to live in the spirit of a national community."

"I am proud of you, because I know that the work which we have created will not die with us." Hitler, who drove in triumphal procession among the cheering crowds, said that in old days when the Day was celebrated in Germany the Government usually began to tremble.

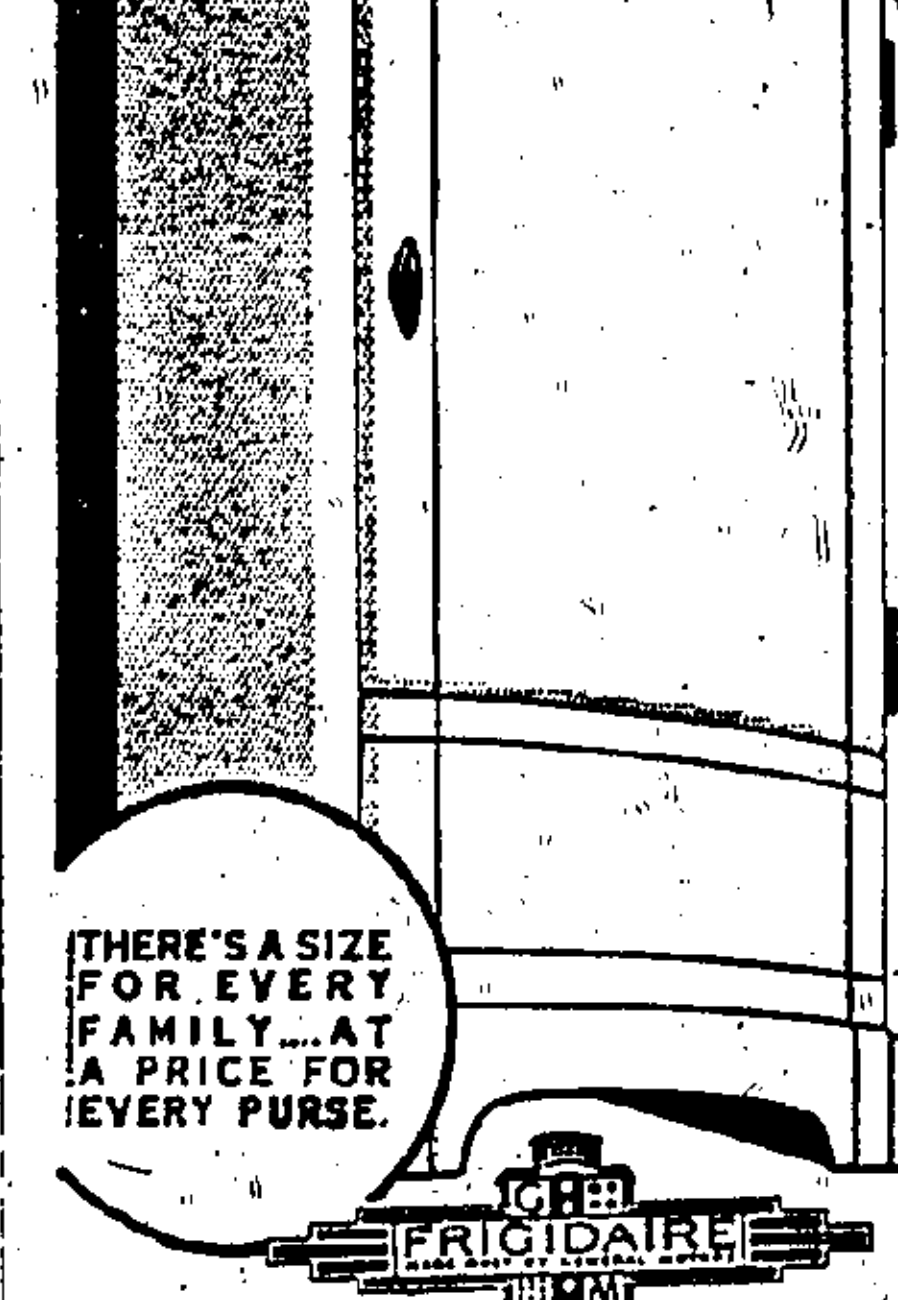
The 1st of May had its list of dead and injured, and everybody was glad when it was over. The Nazi revolution had swept away all this.

PEACE NECESSARY

Cheers greeted him when he said, "Peace abroad is necessary for the fulfilment of our ideals. We have gigantic plans, and therefore we want to maintain peace. Grumblers in foreign countries may not understand this, but we want only to be left alone."

"I am not standing on shaky ground," he declared. "I do not need to leave my people to be slaughtered. I have not done anything that harms anybody else. We have stretched out our hands dozens of

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THE ARMY New Military Secretary In India

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BATTALION COMMANDERS

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Eric G. Miles, D.S.O., M.C., who leaves the 1st Battalion, The K.O.S.B., at Malta to command the 1st Battalion, The Royal Berkshire Regiment, at Shorncliffe, from to-day is 44, with service 1911. He had Signal duty during the War and was Brigade Major and G.S.O. in France, Cambridge, and Germany, at the War Office, in the Southern Command, and in China.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. R. Edmunds, T.D., who has taken command of the 5th Battalion, The Welch Regiment in succession to Brevet Colonel T. O. Jones, M.B.E., T.D., served in Gallipoli and Egypt and with the E.E.F., being mentioned. He takes over a unit which finished 1935 with a strength of 600.

AMBULANCE CHALLENGE SHIELD

The annual competition for the Territorial Army Ambulance Challenge Shield will be held at the Royal Army Medical College, Millbank, London, S.W.1. on Saturday, May 16. Teams from the following

ROYAL AIR FORCE Changes In Uniform

A further order has been issued on the subject of the changes in uniform already announced, under which breeches, puttees, and field boots are abolished as uniform.

Until September 1, 1936, at home, and as long as considered desirable by A.O.C. abroad, officers when not on parade may wear breeches, etc., should they desire to do so in order to wear out their present garments or field boots. Trousers without permanent turn-ups, for parade purposes and formal occasions, will be worn with service dress. Trousers with permanent turn-ups are optional on other occasions. The trousers will be made of barathra as at present. As regards the additional cap, known as the field service cap, which has been approved, in future all officers are to possess one round-peaked cap as at present, and one field service cap. At home this change will be optional from May 1, 1936, and compulsory from September 1, 1936. In commands abroad, A.O.C. will issue instructions to meet local conditions. The same arrangements will apply to the introduction of the blue service-dress shirt and semi-stiff collar which are to take the place of white shirts and collars.

medical units of the Territorial Army will compete for the trophy: 125th (East Lancashire), 128th (Wessex), 131st (Home Counties), 137th (North Midland), 143rd (South Midland), 146th (West Riding), 149th (Northumbrian), 152nd (Highland), 158th (Welsh), 161st (East Anglian), 164th (West Lancashire), and 170th (Cavalry) Field Ambulances, and the 13th (4th London) General Hospital.

A LOST BALL FOUND

London, May 8.

H. B. Cameron, the South African batsman, is brought to mind by the discover in a rainwater spout of the pavilion at Sheffield of a ball which he hit out of sight and lost in the over off Verity last season in which he hit the Yorkshire slow bowler for three fours and three sixes.

The ball has been returned to the makers, who are including it in their museum. It is reported that at the end of the over Wood, the Yorkshire wicketkeeper said to Verity: "Don't worry. You've got him in two minds—he doesn't know whether to hit you for a four or a six." Cameron died in South Africa in November, shortly after his return home.

times to other people. What else do they want from us?

"We have made an offer and we have offered treaties, but at this moment, they begin to doubt us. They say we want to invade Czechoslovakia or Austria tomorrow or the next day."

"Who are these Powers which must always cause mistrust and

GREATER SPEED

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London, May 2.

Experiments are being carried out with streamlined trains which will reduce the air resistance to a minimum. Some of these trains have attained great speeds.

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mischief? They are not those who would cross swords with us on the battlefield. No. We know them and see their handiwork in all the other nations."

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12.30 p.m.—Orchestral Music.
1 p.m.—Local: Time Signal and Weather Report.
1.03 p.m.—Four Songs by Richard Tauber (Tenor).
1.15 p.m.—The Angelus Octet.
1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins, Rugby Press News, Local: Weather forecast, time and Announcements.
1.40 p.m.—Variety Items and Dance Music.
2.15 p.m.—Close Down
5 to 8 p.m.—European programme.
5 to 6 p.m.—A Relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Dance Orchestra.
6 p.m.—Children's Studio Concert.
6.30 p.m.—Dance Music.
7 p.m.—"Stenka Razin" (Glazounov).
7.17 p.m.—Vocal Gems
The Three Musketeers.
The Chocolate Soldier.
7.30 p.m.—"Noll Gwyn Dances" (Edward German).
7.45 p.m.—A Relay from Daventry
"Monologue in Melody." Denis Van Thal in Syncopated piano-forte Music.
8 p.m.—Local: Time Signal, Weather Report; Stock Quotations and announcements.
8.05 p.m.—Chinese Studio Concert.
11 p.m.—Close down.
8.05 to 10 p.m.—European programme from Z.E.K. on a frequency of 640 kilocycles.
8.05 p.m.—The Hill Billies
The Hill Billy Band.
Susanna from Alabama.
When that Harvest Moon is shining.
Good-Night.
8.18 p.m.—Cinema Organ Music
Nola (Arndt).
Funeral March of a Marionette (Gounod)—Sydney Gustard.
Film Hits of the Moment—Sidney Torch.
Parade of Parades—Selection—Quentin M. Maclean.
8.37 p.m.—Marek Weber and his Orchestra
Chopinata—Potpourri (arr. Silbermann).
You shall be the King of my heart (Stolz).
Entry of the Spring Flowers (Kovkert).
Amorette-tanz—Waltz (Gungl).
Old Vienna (Lanner).
9 p.m.—A Relay of the Daventry News Bulletin (Copyright by Reuter).
9.20 p.m.—Variety and Dance Music
Vocal—America Calling.—The Carlyle Cousins.
Tango—Marliou.
Song—Me and my Dog ("Public Nuisance No. 1")—Frances Day.
Fox-Trot—You can't do that there ere.
The Duck Song.
Song—I'm sittin' high on a hill top.—Sam Browne.
Fox-Trot—With all my heart.
Cling to me.
Song—The Little Silkworm.—Jessie Matthews.
Fox-Trot—Play, Orchestra Play.
If I should lose you.
10 p.m.—Big Ben from Daventry: Close Down.

RADIO MANILA

5.30 a.m.—Breakfast Hour of News and Music—English and Spanish Current Events and Vaudeville of the Air, conducted by Don Alva.
7 a.m.—Sign Off.
6 p.m.—Iliso's Mabuhay Orchestra.
6.20 p.m.—Spanish Informational Period.
6.35 p.m.—English Informational Period.
6.55 p.m.—Stock quotations, through the courtesy of Swan, Culbertson and Fritz.
7 p.m.—Rhythm and Romance—Ramon Escudero, Johnny Harris, and Russ Aranas.
7.15 p.m.—Commercial Monitor.
7.30 p.m.—General Motor Concert, sponsored by the Pacific Commercial Company—General Motors Symphony Orchestra, conducted by Erno Rapee.
8.30 p.m.—On Wings of Song, with Ramon Alberto.
8.45 p.m.—Stock Quotations and Local Market Reports.
9 p.m.—Amateur Hour, with Baron Unterhosen, Master of Ceremonies.
10 p.m.—Popular Requests.
10.30 p.m.—Sign Off.

BERLIN PROGRAMME

4.30 p.m.—Call D.J.B. D.J.N. D.J.G. (German, English).
German Folk Song.
4.55 p.m.—Greetings to our listeners.
5 p.m.—All Sorts of Wandering

Folk About Travelling Circuses and Fairs.
5.30 p.m.—News and Economic Review in English.
5.45 p.m.—Musical Works of Romance. Played by the Hasse Chamber-Orchestra.
6.30 p.m.—Virtuoso Flute Music. Ulrich Gebel.
6.45 p.m.—News and Economic Review in German.
7.15 p.m.—Concert of Light Music.
7.15 p.m.—Topical Talk.
7.30 p.m.—Concert of Light Music (continued).
8 p.m.—News in English—Sign off D.J.V.
8.15 p.m.—Concert of Light Music (continued).
9 p.m.—Sign off for South Asia (German, English).
9.05 p.m.—Call D.J.A. and D.J.E. (German, English).
German Folk Song.
9.10 p.m.—Greetings to our listeners.
9.15 p.m.—News and Economic Review in German on D.J.A. D.J.E. D.J.N. D.J.B.
9.30 p.m.—Music by a Reichswehr Band.
10 p.m.—News and Economic Review in English on D.J.N. D.J.E. and in Dutch on D.J.A. D.J.B.
10.15 p.m.—To-day in Germany. Sound Pictures.
10.30 p.m.—From National-Socialist Literature. Dr. Robert Ley: "Germany has become more beautiful."
10.45 p.m.—"Soldier Comrades." A Variety Evening by Werner Dilling.
12 midnight—Sign off D.J.A. D.J.E. D.J.N. D.J.B. (German, English).

MARRIAGES AT GRETNNA

Blacksmith "Priest" A Photographer

Edinburgh, May 7.
Evidence concerning Gretna Green marriages was given in Edinburgh to-day before the committee of inquiry into Scottish marriage law over which Lord Morison is presiding.
Mr. G. B. Mackie, a farmer, said that he was manager of the blacksmith's shop and museum at Gretna Green. His late father went to Gretna as a farmer, and about 1890 he bought the Gretna estate on which the blacksmith's shop stood. His father turned the shop into a museum in 1900, and it contained relics of Gretna marriages. The public were invited to see the relics, and had an opportunity of buying souvenirs. The caretaker of the shop, Mr. Rensison, was responsible for the marriages and got a commission on admissions to the museum and the sale of souvenirs.

The witness said he had nothing to do with the marriages apart from keeping the register. Rensison had been with them for eight years. His register started in 1900, and the figures for the past 10 years were as follows:—1926 to 1928, 335 marriages; 1929, 304; 1930, 331; 1931, 244; 1932, 215; 1933, 210; 1934, 321; 1935, 308.
Lord Morison.—In recent years Gretna has been extensively advertised?

The witness.—Yes, but it has not cost me anything.
Mr. Mackie went on to say that the premises had not been used as a smithy since 1900. Sometimes the caretaker got nothing for performing marriages; sometimes he got £20. People ought not to think that that one certificate they received from Rensison completed the ceremony, for they were told to go to the registrar at Dumfries.

THE "BLACKSMITH"
The witness said he knew that Rensison was a photographer but was described as a blacksmith.
Baillie Jean Roberts (Glasgow).—You like to think of it being called the romantic blacksmith's shop?
The witness.—Yes.
Rensison, he added, was sometimes referred to as the Gretna priest. He might sign himself as priest, but he was not dressed like one. The business ran peacefully. Some people squealed now and again, but most people seemed very happy about it.
Mr. Richard Rensison also gave evidence. He said that after the parties had declared before witnesses that they were both single and that one or other had been residents in Scotland for 21 days he declared them married and gave them a certificate. The marriage was entered in a register.
The witness said that he went to Gretna in 1928. He had been

TEN NEW COMMANDMENTS

BY FATHER OWEN DUDLEY

1. Don't make gods and goddesses. Film stars, footballers, boxers, crooners, record-breakers, long-distancers, non-stoppers and other imbeciles, popular writers and public pets, will all fall you in your hour of need. There is only one God Who will not.

2. Don't shake your fist at Heaven. Nothing's wrong with God nothing's wrong with the world—except man. Make the better world that you shout for by making it better yourself; but make yourself better first. God knows His job. Do yours.

3. Don't think that to be an Agnostic is clever; or that it means you've thought, when you've not even thought what it means. An Agnostic is one who doesn't know—an ignoramus—one who doesn't know if there's a God. That's not clever. A savage knows there's a God.

4. Don't worry about that crease. If pants don't go at the knees, there's something wrong with the soul.

5. Don't do the sophisticated on the mater and pater. Bright young things—they were in this world before you, and you wouldn't be here but for them!

6. Don't murder the lives around you when your liver and temper go wrong. Others have livers and tempers without behaving like swine.

7. Don't fall in love with your typist, and out of love with your wife. Unfaithful heart, unfaithful body, and smash into ruins goes the home.

8. Don't take what's not yours, and never will be, because in honour you're bound to pay back. And if you use it to back a winner, you'll next back a loser, and, as likely as not, get the sack.

9. Don't imagine you're popular because they listen; you're only popular with yourself. Backbiting's a boomerang game. Backbiters sometimes forget.

10. Don't covet and get disgruntled. Life doesn't consist of cars or of dinners and dances and night-clubs. That all ends, and you won't. Think it out.

OTTAWA AGREEMENTS

Trade Problems

London, May 19.
The Dominions Secretary was asked in the House of Commons whether invitations have or would be issued to the Governments of the countries concerned in the Ottawa Agreements to attend a further conference with a view to continuing those agreements in same or another form.

Mr. Malcolm MacDonald replied:—"The agreements between the United Kingdom and the Dominions, concluded at the Imperial Conference at Ottawa in 1932, did not terminate on any given date and each agreement continued in force unless at any time after February 19, 1937, six months' notice of denunciation was given by either party to it. The most convenient method of dealing with the questions arising out of the agreement was now under discussion between the Governments affected."

"In the view of the United Kingdom Government, it would be most appropriate to proceed by way of discussions with individual Governments as occasion offered, and they had brought this view to the notice of the Dominions Governments."

British Wireless.

a saddler and ironmonger and engaged in the boot trade at Gretna. He opened as a saddler and later started a cafe. He was engaged by Mr. Mackie's father in 1927.

In reply to a question by Lord Morison, the witness said that sometimes couples being married brought their witnesses with them; in other cases he supplied the witnesses, who were paid 2s. 6d. each. The usual fee for a marriage was £1.

Replying to Baillie Jean Roberts the witness said he got the fee after deducting expenses which included 5s. for witnesses, payment for the certificates, and the turnstile charges. He knew he was not a priest, and of late years had struck out the word "priest". The inquiry was adjourned.

LAMBERTS AUCTIONS

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ON

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Comprising:—

Chesterfield Suites, Black Wood Ware, Teak Bed & Dining Room Furniture, Office Furniture, Porcelain Ware, Brass Ware, Ornaments, Electric Fans & Lamps, Linen, Gramophones & Records, Rugs, Pictures, Cutlery, etc., etc.

ON VIEW FROM THURSDAY,
THE 21st MAY, 1936.

TERMS:—CASH ON DELIVERY.

**LAMBERT BROS.,
AUCTIONEERS.**

PUBLIC AUCTION.

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MONDAY, MAY 25, 1936.

COMMENCING AT 2.30 P.M.

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Black Wood Ware, Chesterfield Suites, Teak Bed and Dining Room Furniture, Office Furniture, Gramophones and Records, Typewriters, Sewing Machines, Clocks, Electric Ceiling & Table Fans, Table Lamps, Linen, Curtains, Carpets, Rugs, Cutlery, Porcelain and Glass Ware, Brass and E. P. Ware, Curios, Pictures, Ice Chests, etc., etc.

and

6 Refrigerators
2 Upright Pianos
2 Radio Gramophones
1 Radio Set

ON VIEW FROM SATURDAY,
THE 23rd MAY, 1936.

TERMS:—CASH ON DELIVERY.

**LAMBERT BROS.,
AUCTIONEERS.**

NEW ORDERS FOR DESTROYERS

MORE PLACED

London, May 19.

Subject to the settlement of certain points of detail, the Admiralty has decided to entrust the construction of nine Tribal class destroyers of the 1935 programme to the following firms:

Swan, Hunter and Wigham Richardson, of Wallsend-on-Tyne—Two vessels, with machinery by the Wallsend Slipway and Engineering Company;
Denny and Brothers, of Dumbarton—Two vessels;
Parsons Marine Steam Turbine Company, of Wallsend-on-Tyne—Two vessels, the hulls by Vickers, Armstrongs;
Scott's Shipbuilding and Engineering Company, of Greenock—Two vessels;
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"FRISCO KID"

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LAST 4 TIMES TO-DAY

A WEIRD WEB OF CRIME!
The most curious case that ever confronted
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See **PERRY MASON**
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with **WARREN WILLIAM**
MARGARET LINDSAY • ALLEN JENKINS
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YOU'LL GET LAUGHS AND THRILLS GALORE
IN THIS GREAT COMEDY MYSTERY SHOW!

William POWELL
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SCARS

NOT ON HIS FACE... BUT ON HIS HEART!

4 HOURS TO KILL!
with **Richard BARTHELMSS**

TO-MORROW & SATURDAY
CAROL LOMBARD • FRED MAOMURRAY
"HANDS ACROSS THE TABLE"

FRISCO KID

"Frisco Kid" Warner Bros.' thrilling picture of the glamorous Barbary Coast of old San Francisco is due shortly at the Queen's Theatre, with an all star cast headed by James Cagney, Margaret Lindsay, Ricardo Cortez and Lili Damita.

The picture is set in the colourful background of the early fifties when the waterfront of the Golden Gate was a flaming panorama of guided gambling halls and palaces of pleasures; when murder, arson, crimping and robbery was winked at by the authorities who received huge revenues in bribes from the denizens of the underworld.

The characters are based on historic personages of the time who flocked to the city of gold from every port in the world—adventurers all ready to risk their fortunes, or their lives on the throw of a dice.

Into this picturesque atmosphere comes a sailor, strong, purposeful, crude, ignorant, but a man of tremendous force and magnetic personality, who rises to be the master of the Coast and who dares to fall in love with the most beautiful girl of San Francisco's highest society.

James Cagney and Margaret Lindsay as the two characters, carry on this strange romance in the midst of a series of thrilling episodes when the city is rocked by terrific battles between the vigilantes and the denizens of the Coast.

The leading characters, besides those mentioned, include Donald

TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA

Hong Kong

KING'S:
"Show Them No Mercy"

QUEEN'S:
"The Case of the Lucky Legs"

ORIENTAL:
"The Case of the Curious Bride"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA:
"Exclusive Story"

MAJESTIC:
"The Marines Are Coming"

STAR:
"Four Hours To Kill"

Coming

KING'S:
"Wife Versus Secretary"

QUEEN'S:
"Frisco Kid"

ORIENTAL:
"Rendezvous"

ALHAMBRA:
"Follow The Fleet"

STAR:
"Hands Across The Table"

MAJESTIC:
"The Last Outpost"

FOUR HOURS TO KILL

Spellbound audiences at the Star Theatre are viewing in Paramount's "Four Hours to Kill" a melodrama that is terse, staccato, filled with the rapid-fire impact and ingenious turns of plot and characterization that never lag for a moment.

The story of an escaped convict who steals time away from the hangman to destroy the man who squealed on him, "Four Hours to Kill" offers thrills and chills galore for even the most seasoned of melodrama addicts.

Richard Barthelmess acts the unforgettable character of Tony Mako. He is the criminal escaped from the noose in Colorado, who comes to a theatre with the detective who has charge of him to while away the time between trains.

Barthelmess glimpses an usherette and recognizes the wife of the man whose word is sending him to his death. Knowing now how he will get his revenge, he manages to elude the detective in the washroom and hides in the lobby of the theatre until his intended victim shows up.

But while this life drama is working itself out, other minor dramas are taking place in the theatre. The checkroom boy, Joe Morrison, ambitious and in love with Helen Mack, finds himself involved with Dorothy Tree. Gertrude Michael, a rich man's wife, plans to run away with her philandering sweetheart, Ray Milland. The lives of all these people, through the strange turns of fortune, become involved with Barthelmess' tragedy.

In a thrilling rapid fire climax that takes place in the lobby of the theatre, the problems of all the actors in the drama are satisfactorily straightened out.

THE CASE OF THE LUCKY LEGS

Erle Stanley Gardner, the writer who created Perry Mason, Lawyer and crime solver extraordinary, and Warren William who brought him to life on the screen, meet for the first time on the set of "The Case of the Lucky Legs" which is being shown at the Queen's Theatre to-day.

Although William had portrayed Perry Mason in two previous pictures and the writer lived only half a mile from the studio, the two had only corresponded when the new picture started. Responding to the actor's invitation, the writer visited him on the set and got first hand information on how his story was made into a film.

"The Case of the Lucky Legs" is the latest First National picture to be based on one of the Gardner's best selling novels. Others in the cast include Genevieve Tobin, Patricia Ellis, Lyle Talbot, Allen Jenkins, Barton MacLane, Peggy Shannon and Henry O'Neill.

Wood, Barton MacLane, George E. Stone, Joseph King, Robert McWade, Joseph Crehan, Robert Strange, Joseph Sawyer, Fred Kohler and Claudia Coleman.

TRAINING GALLOPS

The following training times were clocked at the Valley yesterday morning:—

	Dis- tance	1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	4th Qr.	Last Qr.
Cassius	1 44	1.25.2	2.04.3	2.39.3	35	
King's Warden	1 37	1.13	1.45.4		32.4	
Heriot	1 44	1.23.4	2.01.1	2.35	33.4	
Foxbridge	1 39	1.15	1.49.2	2.21.3	32.1	
Rose Evelyn	1 42	1.17	1.48.4		31.4	
Belmont Star	1 39	1.14	1.48.3		32.3	
Humber	1 44	1.26.2	2.03		36.3	
Philanderer	1 45.2	1.28	2.07	2.41.4	34.4	
Merry Jester	1 46.1	1.30	2.07.2	2.40.4	33.2	
King's Sceptre	1 44	1.22.1	1.59.2	2.31.2	32	
Tiny Star	1 40.1	1.20.3	1.53.4	2.32.3	33.4	
Double Finesse	1 40.3	1.17.2	1.49.2	2.16.1	26.4	
Cyclamen Bay	1 39.2	1.16.4	1.51	2.21	30	
King's Lead	1 44	1.28.4	2.05.4	2.40.2	34.3	
Donovan	1 45.2	1.24.1	1.57.3	2.23.1	30.3	
Rugby Star	1 43	1.19	1.52	2.22	30	
Gold Eagle and						
Potlatch	1 45	1.27	2.04	2.37.2	33.2	
What A Chance	1 39	1.19	1.54.3	2.25.4	31.1	
West Parade and						
Strathalan	1 46.1	1.26	1.59.2	2.31.2	32	
Great Hall	1 38	1.12	1.43.2		31.2	
Gold Sovereign and						
Gold Coin	1 44	1.20.2	1.50.2		30	
Victoria Hall	1 45.3	1.25.1	2.01.1	2.32	30.4	
Celebration Time						
and Balloos	1 40	1.15	1.48	2.20.2	32.2	
Mayflower	1 42.4	1.19.2	1.53		33.3	
Blue Ribbon	1 40.2	1.19	1.57	2.28.3	31.3	
Miracle	1 40.4	1.17.2	1.49.3		32.1	
Popular Star	1 45	1.26.2	2.00.4		34.2	

"SHOW THEM NO MERCY"

At The King's

In "Show Them No Mercy" the 20th Century thriller, which opened yesterday at the King's Theatre, violence, intense emotional drama, spontaneous humour and romance are tightly packed in the speedy sequences of this new picture which reveals the new underworld terror in America's fight to wipe it out.

The plot of "Show Them No Mercy" carries Rochelle Hudson and Edward Norris, two innocent young people with their baby, into the hideout of the gang. The criminals have \$200,000 in "hot money" and are waiting for the hue and cry to die down.

Panicky, afraid that the youngsters will disclose their refuge, the gangsters are all for putting them out of the way.

Through a series of exciting scenes, the picture reveals how the well-laid plans of the Department of Justice draws the net tighter about them, until the mobsters flee, leaving one of their number behind.

In a smashing climax, Cesar Romero and Bruce Cabot, leaders of the gang, decide to shoot Miss Hudson and Norris. But a daring ruse on the part of the two intended victims gives them the upper hand just as the federal men arrive on the scene.

NEW SONG HITS

"Follow The Fleet" Is Good

"Follow the Fleet," which was previewed at the Alhambra Theatre yesterday, is somewhat different from the recent Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers films but it is equally as enjoyable.

Comedy is not the strong note, being subordinated to romance, but Astaire, who does most of the comedy work, does well and shows surprising versatility, dancing, singing, leading a band and piano playing.

The film is rich in tuneful musical numbers which are bound to become popular immediately. Astaire and Ginger Rogers share most of the dances and songs and a newcomer, Harriet Hilliard, is seen to advantage as an accomplished actress. She also brings a new type of song to the screen.

Others in the cast are Randolph Scott and Astrid Allwyn.

FOLLOW THE FLEET

"Follow the Fleet," RKO Radio's nautical musical is the fifth screen feature teaming Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers coming to the Alhambra Theatre on Friday. It's the fourth co-starring the dancing duo, the third in which they have Mark Sandrich as director, and the second of their films featuring a complete musical score by Irving Berlin.

Astaire and Miss Rogers first appeared together in "Flying Down

COLOUR FILM SUCCESS

In "The Trail Of The Lonesome Pine"

London, May 7.

Natural colour has come to the screen in "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine" and is an important innovation in the history of the cinema. It proves that Technicolor cameras are not limited to specially designed and coloured sets, but can catch the hues of sky and woods and water.

Henry Hathaway, the director, has resisted the temptation of displaying the new medium at the expense of the story. The cameras linger on some scenes of real beauty, but not unnecessarily so.

The tale, a strong, passionate one of a feud in the blue Kentucky mountains, would be good entertainment in black-and-white. Colour heightens its dramatic values.

The complexions of the chief players, Sylvia Sydney, Fred MacMay and Henry Fonda, have none of that unnatural ruddiness which one associates with former colour films; their faces are toned to an unspectacular and pleasing evenness.

PRIEST WHO GAVE LIFE FOR LEPERS

BELGIUM'S HOMAGE

Brussels, May 2.

King Leopold, accompanied by a number of high officials, will be present when the remains of a Belgian national hero are landed at Antwerp.

This was a Roman Catholic priest, Father Damien, known as the "Apostle of Lepers," who died forty-seven years ago of leprosy contracted while devoting his life to the inhabitants of Molokai Island, Hawaii, an island set apart for sufferers from leprosy.

Father Damien was born in 1840 in the village of Tremeloo, in Brabant, and there his coffin will be taken in state before being handed over to the Louvain priests, who claim the honour of receiving and keeping the holy remains.

When Father Damien landed on Molokai Island, on May 10, 1873, his only luggage consisted of a cross and a prayer-book. For a very long time he had no roof under which to sleep. He contracted leprosy three years later, but carried on his good work unaided until his death in 1889.

He was buried in the island, but a few months ago his remains were exhumed by the American authorities at the request of his Order in Louvain.

to Rio" sharing the billing with Dolores Del Rio and Gene Raymond. They made their debut as co-stars in "The Gay Divorcee," under the direction of Sandrich. Irene Dunne starred with them in "Roberta," which William Setzer megaphoned. Sandrich again directed them in the recently released "Top Hat," which introduced the first Berlin musical score.

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"FOLLOW THE FLEET"

Lyrics and Music by **IRVING BERLIN**

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MAJESTIC THEATRE

WILLIAM HAINES
THE MARINES ARE COMING

TO-MORROW

CARY GRANT
CLAUDE RAINS
IN
THE LAST OUTPOST
A PARAMOUNT PICTURE.

ARCHIVES OF THE ROTHSCHILDS

Berlin, May 2.

Jewish bankers in Germany may be compelled to open their private records to the new Nazi Historical Institute, according to Dr. Wilhelm Grau, the head of the section of the Institute dealing with the Jewish question.

In a broadcast speech he declared:

"We shall pay particular attention to the special political records of the nineteenth and twentieth centuries which have been withdrawn or withheld from the State authorities. Further, we shall demand Jewish archives to open certain collections so that the knowledge of the truth may be forwarded."

"We ask now: 'When will the House of Rothschild be in the position to make available to investigation its collection of archives which have lain hidden in locked chests for over 150 years?'"

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Around the Courts

ANOTHER CASE

Pay-Comdr. S. K. Lloyd, R.N., living at No. 5, The Peak, was fined \$15 by Mr. Burgess at the Central Court yesterday for allowing his dog abroad in Stubbs Road on May 7 without a muzzle.

Defendant was absent and it was stated that there was a similar conviction against him only last week with the same dog. The dog, though belonging to Capt. Farrar who is at sea, was in the charge of Comdr. Lloyd.

NOT UNDER CONTROL

Mr. Schlatter living at No. 28, Conduit Road was fined \$10 by Mr. Burgess at the Central Court yesterday for allowing his dog abroad in Conduit Road on May 7 without a muzzle.

Mr. Schlatter said that the dog was on a lead.

Sub-Inspector Kirby said that this dog had bitten a Policeman and when a dog bites whether on a lead or not, it is not under proper control.

HUGE LOT OF "FO PU" TICKETS

Found in possession of 12,023 "Sham Shun" po-pui lottery tickets, a married woman and a widow, were fined \$500 each or in default, to serve five months' imprisonment at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday.

Detective Inspector Forrest told Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen that the two women were arrested in Tai Po Road, Shamshuipo. One had 5,797 tickets while the other had 8,226 tickets.

OPIUM IN BOAT

Four Chinese, one of whom was the mistress of Class I Junk No. 4282Y appeared before Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistracy charged with possession of 1,000 heroin pills and four tins of raw opium. Sergeant Wheeler said that the boat was stopped when off Stonecutters Island, when the contraband was found on board.

Mr. H. A. de B. Botelho appeared for Li Shek (62) described as a private watchman, and Lai Tai (38) mistress of the junk.

Three of the accused were discharged because of the lack of evidence, while Lai was fined \$200 or six months on the heroin pills offence, and \$90 or in default, two months' imprisonment for a breach against the opium ordinance, the sentences to run concurrently.

BANISHEES

Man Mau, 30, unemployed charged with returning from banishment appeared before Mr. Burgess at the Central Court yesterday and was sentenced to one year. He was banished for 10 years on December 10, last year.

Li Yui, 53, unemployed was also sentenced to one year for the same offence. He was banished for 10 years on February 2.

Another returned banishes, Tam Cheong was sentenced to one year by Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Court yesterday. He was banished for 5 years in March of this year.

BAIL ESTREATED

Falling to appear before Mr. Burgess at the Central Court yesterday in answer to the charge of common assault at the Chinese Recreation Ground, Hollywood Road, Ho King, 35, unemployed had his bail of \$10 estreated.

SLY BROTHEL

Tsui Kwai, 52, widow, was fined \$50 or one month by Mr. Burgess at the Central Court yesterday where she was charged of keeping a sly brothel at No. 5, Shin Hing Street, first floor.

ASSAULT

Appearing before Mr. Burgess at the Central Court yesterday charged with assault causing grievous bodily harm at Tung Man Street, Chan Kin, 45, sanitary coöper, was remanded for one week.

It was stated that the complainant was in hospital suffering from a broken leg and would be there for some time.

Bail was allowed at \$100.

BAGGAGE SNATCHING

Chan Foon, 29, street coolie was charged before Mr. Burgess at the Central Court yesterday with disorderly conduct in that he snatched the luggage from the hand of a passenger of the Star Ferry.

P. C. Campbell said that the defendant was with two others who were not caught. The European passenger was coming off the Ferry when the defendant rushed up and snatched the baggage from his hand.

Defendant said that he had been given orders and was in a hurry to order a taxi. While running up to the passenger he bumped against him.

Defendant was bound over in a pound of \$20 to keep the peace for one year.

OPIUM POSSESSION

Caught near the Canton wharf in possession of 22 tins of prepared opium, Chan Yiu, 18, unemployed, was fined \$1,700 or, in default, six months' hard labour by Mr. Burgess at the Central Magistracy yesterday. Sergeant J. Goddard prosecuted.

A NUISANCE

Ma Ping, a folk employed by the Sincere Company, pleaded guilty before Mr. Burgess at the Central Magistracy yesterday to a summons for attracting public attention to the Sincere Company premises by causing mechanically produced music to be played loudly by means of an amplifier, thus causing a large crowd to gather. P. C. Macvey stated it was Chinese music and was for the purpose of advertising. A fine of \$5 was imposed.

CRUELTY TO DUCKS

Wong Sau-hing and Chan Yee, master of poultry stalls No. 10 and 11 at the Sai Wan Ho Market, were each fined \$5 by Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday for having caused unnecessary suffering to five crates of ducks and six crates of geese by failing to provide them with a supply of fresh water at 10.55 a.m. on May 9.

Inspector G. Fowler, of the S.P.C.A., said his attention was drawn to defendants' stalls by the noise being made by the birds. He found that there was no water in the crates. He asked defendants to put some water in the crates, and after it had been done, and the birds had satisfied their thirst, the noise died down. The crates were perfectly dry.

FINES AND COSTS
IMPOSEDIN TRADE MARK
CASE

The Leung Sau-ku firm, No. 153, Queen's Road Central, group floor and the Chai Wah firm of No. 188 of the same Road were summoned yesterday before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Court for the infringement of the "Quick White" bearing a brand so like that of the complainant company calculated so as to deceive.

The complainant firm, The South China Trading Co., was represented by Mr. G. K. Hall Brutton, the first defendant firm being represented by Mr. C. A. Sutherland Russ.

The second defendant firm stated that the goods had been left with them by the first defendant firm for the purpose of sale.

Evidence was given by Det.-Serg. T. Cushman who was in charge of the raid on the said firms and who seized the alleged infringements.

DEALT IN BUSINESS BEFORE

The evidence of Chan Pink-hung, the managing partner of the South China Trading Co., was then taken. He stated that he had been in business selling this "Quick White" for about nine years. He had registered the brand in 1930 and the "Scissors" brand in 1929.

Witness stated that he had dealt with the first defendant firm for six or seven years and they ought to know his brand. He stated that he had also sold to the second defendant firm. Both these shops had been selling another brand of "Quick White" which was similar to his in the general design and was calculated to deceive. This was sold at a cheap price.

Cross-examined by Mr. Russ he admitted that he had not invented "Quick White" and that it had been on the market long before he started business. The tops of the two brands under discussion were different in colour.

Mr. Schofield held that the general design of the two brands on the containers would be likely to deceive.

Ho Kwok, the representative of the first defendant firm stated that he had bought the alleged infringement but had no idea that they were infringements.

After the evidence of Ho Kam, the manufacturer of the alleged infringement brand, Mr. Schofield found for the complainant firm and ordered the first defendant to pay costs of \$100 and a fine of \$200. The second defendant firm was ordered to pay \$50 costs and a fine of \$150. The goods seized to be given to the complainant firm.

LICENCE
REQUIREDTo Sell Liquors
BROKERS BEWARE

A case, which as Mr. W. M. Thomson, Assistant Superintendent of the Imports and Exports Office for the prosecution, stated as being one wherein the public are being warned that they could not deal in liquors without an appropriate licence, was heard before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Court yesterday.

Mr. P. J. Saery-Stryk, manager of the Publicity and Commercial Bureau, Duddell Street was charged with having on March 2, this year sold intoxicating liquors, namely thirteen bottles of Port Wine, without an appropriate licence.

Defendant said that he did not sell the wine himself. He had a salesman who was canvassing for advertisements and in this connection had approached Rondon & Co., licensed wine dealers, with the request for an advertisement for the directory. The salesman was told to go again later. At that time Rondon & Co., offered the agent an old stock of wine to sell as a broker. The agent replied that he must ask his Master's permission.

Defendant then went to Rondon & Co. and asked if he could sell liquor without a licence. Rondon & Co. said that anyone could sell as a broker for a company that has a licence. They would pay commission.

Defendant then allowed his agent to go around and find buyers. He later came back and said that Jimmy's Restaurant wanted a case of the wine. Defendant then went to Rondon & Co. and paid for the wine and sent a sample bottle to Jimmy's. Satisfaction was expressed and defendant went to Rondon & Co. and told his agent to deliver a case from there to Jimmy's.

Payment was not made at once but later defendant told his agent to inform him when payment was made so that he could go around to Rondon & Co. and get a receipt. It was paid and the agent issued a receipt in the name of the Publicity and Commercial Bureau. The agent has since been discharged and sent to Canton.

SLIGHTLY DIFFERENT

Mr. Thomson said that the facts so disclosed were slightly different from those he had heard. When the defendant was sent for at the Superintendent's office he had stated that he had bought two cases from Rondon & Co. and that one was for his wife who was ill. It was a fact that he did send his agent around to Jimmy's. Jimmy's accepted and paid for the wine on March 2 and the receipt had been issued in the name of the Publicity and Commercial Bureau.

Defendant then amended his statement and said that he had bought two cases but one was sent to his own house and the other was sent to Jimmy's.

Mr. Thomson said that it was no defence to say that Rondon & Co. had told him that he could sell the liquor. They had no authority. He was not pressing the case but it was mainly to show the public that they could not deal in liquors without an appropriate licence. The defendant possibly had acted in good faith.

The value of the case was estimated at \$20.

The defendant was fined \$10.

A NOMINAL FINE
IMPOSEDFAILED TO REPORT
CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Another "mul tsai" case wherein Mak Ho, a married woman living at No. 5, Tai Yuen Street was summoned before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Court yesterday for failing to report the change of address of a registered "mul tsai".

Inspector H. W. Fraser of the S.C.A. said that on April 24 a Lady Inspector visited the address and found that the girl had gone to Canton with her mistress on March 23. A message was left with the husband that when the mistress returned she was to appear at the S.C.A. office. The husband failed to give the message and then another visit was made to instruct the wife to appear.

The woman, Wu Pui Wa appeared at the S.C.A. office and admitted to leaving the Colony without making a report.

The girl was exceptionally well treated and was remaining with her employer.

Defendant was fined \$5.

STORY
OF FIGHT IN
PRISONConvict On Trial
For Killing

CASE AT SESSIONS

The story of a fight between two prisoners in Lanchukok prison on February 18 was related at the Criminal Sessions before Mr. Justice Hayden yesterday when Lau Fong, 19, stood his trial for the manslaughter of Tsui Tong, 35.

Assistant Crown Solicitor, Mr. M. J. Abbott, appeared for the prosecution and Lau was not represented by counsel.

The following jury was empanelled:—Messrs. H. H. Pethick (foreman), C. W. L. Spradbury, G. L. Fenton, Wong Suk-ki King Cheong, Lo Kwan-wai and R. J. K. Walker.

Mr. Abbott said that Tsui died in the Government Civil Hospital on April 2 from blood poisoning following an injury to the knee alleged to have been committed by Lau with a knife during a fight in the prison on February 18.

Lau told warders that Tsui had threatened him and alleged that Tsui had attempted to assault him indecently, said Mr. Abbott.

Mr. Abbott said that Lau had gained possession of the knife in an irregular manner as the fracas took place while the men were employed in the making of mats. Each group had a knife or two for cutting the matting but Lau was engaged in making coconut mats for which no knife was needed.

Dr. I. Newton said Tsui died from suppurated arthritis of the knee and toxæmia. Tsui was much bigger than the accused, he said.

THREATS USED

Evidence that he had heard Tsui threaten Lau was given by Ip Yung-shing, who shared a cell with them. Ip added that Tsui had attempted to commit an indecent assault on Lau. In the early part of the morning Lau and Tsui came to blows.

Cecil James Kingdom, warder, said he was summoned by the alarm bells ringing about 6 a.m. but none of the prisoners made complaints to him.

Ghulam Nabl, warder, said he heard the prisoners quarrelling and swearing about 6 a.m. and rang the alarm bell. He did not see anyone fighting.

The hearing was adjourned until to-day.

PISTOL FOUND ON
CHINESETwo years Imprisonment
Ordered

Two years imprisonment was imposed on Yip Shing at the Criminal Sessions yesterday by the Acting Chief Justice (Mr. Justice Hayden).

Yip admitted a charge of having had in his possession an automatic pistol and 18 rounds of ammunition.

The Assistant Crown Solicitor, Mr. M. J. Abbott, said Yip was apprehended at Shamshuipo on April 11. The pistol was found in the sleeve of his jacket and tied to his forearm was a magazine with the cartridges.

The weapon appeared to have been fired recently, said Mr. Abbott, and although old and rusty was quite serviceable.

ANOTHER CASE

For failing to report the removal of a registered "mul tsai", Wu Kuk, aged 15 years, from the Colony, Wu Pui Wa, a married woman living at No. 58, Bonham Strand East was summoned before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Court yesterday.

Inspector H. W. Fraser of the S.C.A. said that on April 4 a Lady Inspector visited the address and found that the girl had gone to Canton with her mistress on March 23. A message was left with the husband that when the mistress returned she was to appear at the S.C.A. office. The husband failed to give the message and then another visit was made to instruct the wife to appear.

The woman, Wu Pui Wa appeared at the S.C.A. office and admitted to leaving the Colony without making a report.

The girl was exceptionally well treated and was remaining with her employer.

A nominal fine of \$10 as imposed.

FRAUDULENT
CONVERSIONGAOL TERM
IMPOSED

Appearing on demand before Mr. Burgess at the Central Court yesterday charged with the fraudulent conversion of \$8,000 belonging to his employers, the Wa Fung Yuen Import and Export firm of No. 31, Wing Lok Street, Li Kon-man, 21, accounts collector was sentenced to three months' hard labour.

It will be recalled that at the previous hearing it was stated that the defendant had gone to a Chinese Bank and after cashing a draft for \$8,000 did not return to his master's office with the money. Later a warrant was taken out for his arrest.

On May 15 the defendant returned to the complainant firm and there told them that he had had his pocket picked and that he was frightened so he ran away to Canton. Upon hearing that he was to be prosecuted he attempted suicide by taking an overdose of Adalin tablets but recovered in the Hospital.

Yesterday Det.-Serg. T. Cushman gave evidence of the arrest of the defendant while he was at the Hospital. Ho Kai-tung, accountant of the complainant firm gave evidence that the man was employed as an accounts collector and had gone to cash the draft at the Yu To Bank. After the evidence of Sek Yu-sang, the shroff at the bank who testified to the handing of the money to the defendant, the defendant was convicted and was sentenced to three months' hard labour.

Det.-Serg. C. Byron was for the prosecution.

LONG TREK BY
REINDEERYukon Journey
At An End

London, May 2.

The great herd of 3,000 reindeer which Canada during the past year or two has been moving from the Yukon to the east of the delta of the Mackenzie River—one of the most remarkable treks of its kind in history—is still on the move although it has reached its journey's end.

It is now being migrated to ranges farther north for the summer months. This shift is being made in a leisurely manner, for the animals are approaching the fawning season and every care is being taken to see that the herd reaches its destination in the best condition.

The herders themselves are making use of small camps which have been erected at suitable points along the route of march, their families travelling by dog team in their wake.

When the journey is done the animals will be herded into a sheltered valley with a plentiful supply of good grazing available to await the beginning of fawning. This will continue until the end of May. The remarkable hardiness of the new-born fawns is a matter of comment among the reindeer station officials.

SEA-SICKNESS CURE

London, May 5.

Not many medical men will agree with the ship's officer who believes that sufferers from sea-sickness have good heads for heights, writes a correspondent, for the evidence to the contrary is overwhelming. It has been proved beyond reasonable doubt that people with defective eyesight are almost invariably laid low with mal de mer, and, as everyone is aware, persons with faulty vision are always uncomfortable and frequently in danger in lofty positions. Coloured glasses, indeed, are often part of the cure recommended by sea-going doctors.

THE BLACK PATCH

A steward on a liner who suffered agonies from sea-sickness for many years became surprisingly free from the malady when ordered by his doctor to wear eye-glasses to correct a very slight visual fault. Then a certain Ayrshire lady I know never makes an ocean voyage without wearing a black patch over one eye, a remarkably effective though rather unsightly cure recommended to her many years ago by an ex-Navy doctor who had made a study of sea-sickness.

SPECIAL BOXES FOR AIR MAILS

Letters Can Now Be
Posted During
Night

NEW FACILITIES

The advantage of the recently erected blue pillar boxes at the General Post Office for the exclusive reception of air mails is that the public will now be able to post airmail letters overnight.

In the past airmail letters could be posted only during post office hours, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. A further convenience is that the G.P.O. will open on Fridays at 7.30 p.m.

Airmail letters can be posted in the ordinary boxes at Kowloon post office until 8 a.m. Friday.

Postal authorities emphasise the necessity for fixing the correct stamps to airmail letters, for if they are inadequately stamped, as they often are, they go by ordinary services.

NO EXTENSION

It is understood that there is little likelihood of the time of the closing of the airmail being extended as 8.30 a.m. is the absolute limit. Although the Dorado does not leave Kai Tak until 11 a.m. the mails have to be specially prepared and as the bulk of the airmail is posted in the last half hour, the postal staff would be unable to cope with the flood of letters if the closing time were extended.

Ordinary mails are put straight into their bags but airmail bags have to be counted, bundled, weighed and entered. Each bag has also to be checked and entered on arrival at Kai Tak.

MORE WATER FOR THE COLONY

RESTRICTIONS TO STAY

Hong Kong benefited to the extent of 153,000,000 gallons more of water by the heavy downpour which fell on Tuesday night, and although such is the case no further change in the water restrictions are at present contemplated. Practically the whole of the gains were on the mainland, where an additional 130,000,000 gallons were gathered. There was, however, practically no increased storage at Shing Mun.

The average rainfall over the entire catchment area was 2.35 inches, as compared with the 2.23 inches registered at the Royal Observatory for the 24 hours ending 10 a.m.

The Royal Observatory forecast, issued at 10 a.m., predicts further showers, with a probable improvement in weather conditions.

Hong Kong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. yesterday totalled 2.23 inches. The total since January 1 is 18.25 inches, against an average of 17.45 inches.

"BITTER HUMILIATION"

Mr. Baldwin's Confession
To Deputation

Professor Gilbert Murray, addressing a large gathering in the Town Hall, Oxford, last night, said the deputation had been received with the utmost sympathy, and he thought there had been hardly an expression of their feelings about this ghastly tragedy which had not met with response from the Prime Minister. The Prime Minister, did, in an interjection, say that he felt a bitter humiliation.

EMPIRE DAY

The following notification was received from the Colonial Secretariat's Office:—

The public are hereby reminded that Monday, May 25, 1936, the day following Empire Day, Sunday, May 24, 1936, is a public holiday and that all educational establishments, public offices and Government departments will not be open for ordinary business on that day.

CONCERT POSTPONED

Due to unforeseen circumstances, the concert, promoted by Miss Maria Margarida Gomes in order to secure funds for the "Caixa Escolar" for the education of poor Portuguese boys in Hong Kong, has been postponed to the 2nd Proximo at 9 p.m. at the Club de Recreio.

A TRIBUTE

To A Departed
Employee

"OLD GEORGE"

"Old George" the faithful is dead.

George as he was known to members of the "Daily Press," was employed as office coolie and did his last errand on Sunday night, taking ill suddenly on Monday morning. He was rushed to hospital where he succumbed yesterday morning at the age of 65, after a gallant struggle. George first joined the "Daily Press" at the beginning of the century and for thirty-six years had always given of his best.

Members of both the editorial and business staffs will miss his familiar figure, sitting unobtrusively in the corner of the room, ready to take messages by hand whenever bidden.

Leung Hau (Old George to us) his old and smelly pipe, his old fashioned, bent pair of glasses which he always wore to glance meticulously through his daily Chinese papers will be missed.

Also the quaint and prompt military salute he gave in greeting a member of the staff. (S.M.N.)

ONE KILLED LAST WEEK

IN TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

In the Colony of Hong Kong including the Island, Kowloon and the New Territories, during the week ending at 8 a.m. on Saturday, the 18th instant, there were altogether 48 traffic accidents, as the result of which 1 person was killed and 20 persons were injured.

The person killed was a Chinese female, who died instantly as the result of injuries received when she was knocked down by a motor bus whilst walking across the road.

Of the persons injured, 11 were pedestrians who were either walking or running across the road and were struck by vehicles.

One public car driver and a passenger were injured when their vehicle collided with a traffic island.

Five bus passengers were injured while either alighting from or boarding moving motor buses. Two bicycle riders were injured as the result of collisions between vehicles.

Of the 48 accidents, 21 were collisions between vehicles; 13 were collisions between vehicles and pedestrians; and 15 accidents were due to other causes.

STRATOSPHERE FLIGHT

Women Want To
Make Trip

ASCENT SOON

Warsaw, May 2.

Twenty-two people, among them three women, want tickets to the stratosphere. Each of them is willing to pay £20,000 for a ticket.

This emerges from answers received by Professor Jean Piccard, the stratosphere balloonist, in reply to his advertisement stating that he is willing to take with him to the stratosphere anyone who will pay £20,000 towards the cost of the ascent.

He intends to make the ascent from Polish territory. The balloon has been ordered from the Polish military balloon works at Legismo.

50-YEAR-OLD WIDOW

The list of applicants is headed by two Japanese millionaires, who have both offered a sum higher than Professor Piccard's figure, provided that he will agree to make the ascent from Japan.

Another applicant is a 50-year-old widow, whose condition is that, in the event of an accident, a monument should be erected to her memory.

The wife of a South American business man entreats Professor Piccard to take her with him so that she may have "at least one interesting day in a tressome and boring life."

FOR A SYMPHONY

A Swedish woman pilot, owner of a bicycle factory in America, who composes music, is anxious to gather material to write a "stratosphere symphony."

A rich woman from Delhi wants to take part in the ascent provided

EMPEROR'S LIFE OF ANXIETY

GOVERNOR AT AGE
OF FIFTEEN

London, May 4.

The Emperor of Abyssinia has had a life of almost constant anxiety. His father, Ras Makonnen, was an able diplomat and soldier who distinguished himself in the war against the Italians in 1896. It was expected that Makonnen would succeed his uncle Menelik as Emperor, but he died suddenly in 1905, and his son—the present Emperor, then known as Ras Tafari—succeeded him as governor of a province at the age of 15.

From that time his responsibilities increased. From 7 a.m. until 10 p.m. he was receiving tributes, settling disputes, making laws. Even in his youth he was quiet and reserved, with a natural dignity of manner. In all his dealings with his men he cultivated a logical and patient disposition of mind.

In 1916 Ethiopia was in chaos. The Emperor Menelik had died after a long illness, and his successor, Lij Yasu, ruled without principle or purpose. There was a popular rising against him, he was deposed, and Menelik's daughter, Walzeru Zauditu, was proclaimed Empress, with Ras Tafari—then 25—as Prince Regent.

He was faced with almost overwhelming difficulties. He wished Ethiopia to progress along European lines—but against him was the Empress (who was, influenced by the priests) and the proud rulers of outlying provinces. He wished to abolish slavery, and in fact did much to free many of the slaves and abolish the trade in them—but again the despotic rulers and the difficulties of communication in the mountainous country were against him. In spite of all, he managed to knit the country together to a large extent and prepared the ground for further progress when he should succeed to the throne.

In 1924 he visited Europe. In Rome he met Signor Mussolini, "the latter conferring with him (it was announced at the time) both as Prime Minister for the Colonies." In London he was received by King George and visited Parliament. Everywhere his attentive and discerning manner made a favourable impression.

The Empress died in 1930, and later in the year Ras Tafari became King of Kings of Ethiopia, taking the title Haile Selassie—"The Power of the Trinity." The Duke of Gloucester attended the magnificent coronation ceremonies in Addis Ababa.

Within a few months Haile Selassie had to suppress a rebellion led by Ras Gugsa in Dessie. Ras Gugsa had been sent to round up bandits, but had failed and—rather than report on his own incompetence—had stirred up discontent among the tribesmen.

When the Italian armies threatened to invade Ethiopia last year, the Emperor appealed to the League. During the war all his diplomatic approaches to the Powers have been conducted with sincerity, dignity, and ability.

THE INDIVIDUAL AND WAR

London, May 2.

A writer in the "New Statesman and Nation" gives a telling extract from an inquiry into alleged Communism at Chicago University. One witness was Professor Robert Moss Lovett, who is an out-and-out pacifist. His examination is said to have run as follows:—

Question—If a young man had come to you in 1917 to ask whether to join up in the recruiting campaign, what would you have told him?

Answer—I should have given him the same advice that I gave to my son.

Question—What was that?

Answer—That he was of age and must not accept my views because they were my views; that it was inevitably his own responsibility whether he fought or not.

Question—And what did your son do?

Answer—My son is buried in France.

And that, says the writer, closed the examination.

that "no one learns of her exploit."

The ages of the applicants range from 71 to 14.

Professor Piccard is reputed to have said that he would not undertake the flight with a woman passenger.

EASTER TERM AT CAMBRIDGE

A Vernal Opening

MUSEUM EXTENSIONS COMPLETED

London, May 6.

This year the Easter term opened in sunshine, and all the colours and odours of spring seemed to have waited for its arrival. Never can the backs and gardens have been arrayed in a richer splendour of leaf and flower.

The principal event of the vacation was the presentation of a loyal address to the King at Buckingham Palace on April 2. In company with several other "privileged bodies," the Chancellor and the Vice-Chancellor, attended by University officials and representatives, took part in a ceremony in the reception hall, and were then presented to the King and to the Duke of York. The committee of the Oxford and Cambridge Club had provided dressing-rooms, and the academic robes and insignia created an unusual scene as the two deputations departed for the Palace. On their return they were entertained by the committee at a luncheon.

The next occasion when the Chancellor will appear in state will be on June 9, when he will confer honorary degrees on distinguished statesmen and leaders in science and letters, including the Lord Chancellor and Lord Willingdon. Another important event on that day will be the opening of the most recent extension of the Fitzwilliam Museum, where the four galleries which were designed by means of the benefactions of the late Mr. J. S. Henderson and of Mr. John Charrington are now completed. On the upper floor is the Charrington Print Room; where ingenious devices have been installed for the successive display of varied sets of prints; and in the larger room will be hung tapestries and pictures which their owners have lent for the opening and for the succeeding summer months. On the lower floor the Henderson bequest of armour has been arranged; and here will be seen Henry VIII's famous suit of armour from Windsor Castle, lent by the King for this special occasion.

PROFESSOR HOUSMAN

A report from the Board of Research Studies is before the University, dealing with the question of maintaining an even and proper standard for the various doctorates. But no matter of keen controversy at present disturbs the industry and peace of academic life. Vacancies in professorships will shortly have to be filled, some due to retirement and some to death. The loss of Professor Housman, though his falling health had for some time been sorrowfully observed by his friends, has left a sudden sense of sadness in the University to which his fine scholarship had brought such renown, and in more intimate circles where his keen criticism and enjoyment of good company were a wholesome and inspiring pleasure. Another figure now lost to view is that of Dr. Nairne, tall and shrivelled, saintly and benign, with his friendly welcome for all which was not always without a spice of roguish independence. The two Chairs most recently filled are those of Sanskrit and of Imperial and Naval History. Professor Rapson, after a long and distinguished tenure, gives place to Professor H. W. Bailey, who will bring to Cambridge a remarkable knowledge of Oriental languages; and Professor E. A. Walker comes from Capetown to take the room of Sir Herbert Richmond, who has been in residence for all too short a time and has made for himself many friends.

POST-GRADUATE CAREERS

In the first few days of Term recent developments in educational practice were discussed at a gathering of former students of the Teachers' Training College. It is natural that vocational courses should be receiving increased attention owing to the difficulties experienced in recent years in finding regular posts; but on general grounds also there is a growing confidence in the work of higher education, and the last report of the Appointments Board records a remarkable number of successful applicants. This may be taken as evidence of general industry in the University and of the practical and theoretical value of the various lines of study; also of the continued desire on the part of business firms to obtain suit-

able men direct from the University. It is estimated that out of 1,400 men who graduated last year, only 51 remain unemployed in regular employment.

A recognition of the importance of advanced study and research has been the princely gift by Sir Herbert Austin of £250,000 to the University for the furtherance of scientific inquiry. This great benefaction will enable the scheme for the Cavendish Laboratory (to be carried out with a completeness and in a style worthy of its foundation and its destinies.

Theatrical activities last Term produced fine performances of The Frogs and of Julius Caesar; and both the new Arts Theatre and the Festival Theatre have vigorous and attractive programmes. In May Week there will be a performance of Samson Agonistes in the garden of Milton's college. There is keen expectation over the coming production of Dr. Vaughan Williams's opera The Poisoned Kiss, which has never till now been performed; and the older generation will welcome the revival of Parry's Job by the C.U.M.S.

NEW BUILDINGS

Former members of the University, revisiting Cambridge after many years, are struck by the number of extensions to college buildings, although these are so gradual and continuous that they excite less comment among the residents. An attractive little court has been completed by Trinity Hall, and its harmonious union with the older building is an example of excellent design. The new block at St. Catharine's is also in keeping with its surroundings, though at present it is hidden from general view. At Queens' the new crescent is almost finished externally, and will evidently be ready for use in October. A new feature on the river is the footbridge which has replaced the old ferry at the horse grid. The Preservation Society is anxiously watching any dangerous developments of building, and there are pleasant reports of its happy cooperation with the borough and the college. At this time of year, when there is a general move to cricket field and tennis court, the beauty of our open spaces is most conspicuously revealed as an inheritance not to be lost or destroyed.

"AN EMPEROR SICK AT HEART"

The Primate On Abyssinia

London, May 6.

The Archbishop of Canterbury presided at the anniversary meeting of the Church Missionary Society, held in the Royal Albert Hall, last night.

Referring to the war in Abyssinia, he said that their hearts went out in sympathy to the Emperor, sick at heart with long-deferred hope of help from the united nations of Christian Europe, turning weary and distressed from his gallant and dignified effort to save his people. If their hearts were moved with sympathy for him and his stricken people, they must be moved, too, by indignation at the means which had been used to accomplish that tragedy of a people almost defenceless, striving to preserve the independence of their native land. (Cheers.)

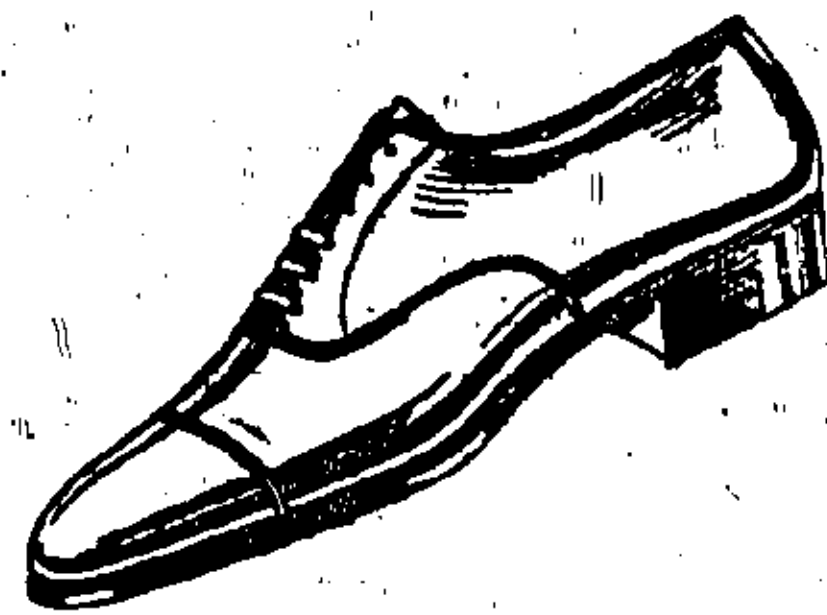
"Only let me add," said the Primate, "that because of this grievous disappointment let none of us lose our faith in the League of Nations. Rather let us see in this comparative failure a call to do all that is possible to strengthen the League and to make it really representative of the nations and capable of ensuring that security for which the whole world is longing." (Cheers.)

The Bishop of the Upper Nile (the Rev. Addison Hsu) and the Bishop of Chekiang spoke of work in their particular countries; and the General Secretary (Prebendary Wilson Cash) gave a review of the annual report.

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EMPIRE DAY



BAND CONCERT

By kind permission of Lieut-Colonel A. C. Marsh and Officers, the Band of the 2nd Bn., The East Lancashire Regiment will play at the

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THE CANTON INSURANCE
OFFICE LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

THE Fifty-fifth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Office of the undersigned on Thursday, the 21st May, 1936, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Agents, together with a statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December, 1935.

The Share Register and Transfer Books will be CLOSED from the 7th to the 21st May, 1936, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.,
General Agents,
Hong Kong 30th April, 1936. [4392]

CHINA UNDERWRITERS,
LIMITED.

(INCORPORATED IN HONG KONG.)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Twelfth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of China Underwriters, Limited, will be held at the Office of the Company, 4A, Des Voeux Road Central, Hong Kong, on Monday, the 25th day of May, 1936, at Noon for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors and a Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1935, and of electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer Books and Register of Members of the Company will be closed from the 18th May, 1936, to the 25th May, 1936, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors
HERBERT R. STURT,
Managing Director.
Hong Kong, 13th May, 1936. [4424]

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP
COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the Company's Office, P. & O. Building, on Friday, the 29th May, 1936, at Noon for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers together with a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1935.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be CLOSED from Tuesday, the 26th May to Friday, the 29th May, 1936, both days inclusive.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO.,
General Managers.
Hong Kong, 15th May, 1936. [4429]

THE MACAO ELECTRIC
LIGHTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TWENTY-FIFTH ORDINARY ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the Company will be held at the Office of Messrs. Lowe, Bingham & Matthews, Mercantile Bank Building, Second Floor, Hong Kong, on FRIDAY, the 29th day of JUNE, 1936, at 11.30 a.m.

The REGISTER of MEMBERS will be closed from the 27th day of MAY to the 4th day of JUNE, 1936, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER,
Secretaries.
Hong Kong, 20th May, 1936. [4445]

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY
CLUB.

DRAFT Programmes and Entry Forms for the Sixth Extra Race Meeting, to be held on SATURDAY, 30th May & MONDAY, 1st June, 1936, (weather permitting), may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Exchange Building; the Club House, Happy Valley; the Hong Kong Club; the Sports Club and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on THURSDAY, 21st May, 1936.

By Order,
S. A. SLEAP,
Actg. Secretary
[4432]

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Society will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, Union Building, Hong Kong, on FRIDAY, 22nd MAY, 1936, at 11 O'clock a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1935, and of declaring Dividend, etc.

The SHARE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from 4th MAY to 22nd MAY, Both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
A. W. HUGHES,
General Manager.
Hong Kong, 24th April, 1936. [4376]

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LTD.

(INCORPORATED IN HONG KONG)

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SIXTY-SEVENTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Company will be held at its HEAD OFFICE, Union Building, Hong Kong, on FRIDAY, 22nd MAY, 1936, at 11.20 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1935, and of declaring Dividends, etc.

The SHARE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 4th MAY to 22nd MAY, Both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
A. W. HUGHES,
General Manager.
Hong Kong, 24th April, 1936. [4377]

BRITISH TRADERS' INSURANCE
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(INCORPORATED IN HONG KONG)

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SEVENTEENTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Company will be held at its HEAD OFFICE, Union Building, Hong Kong, on FRIDAY, 22nd MAY, 1936, at 11.25 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1935, and of declaring Dividend, etc.

The SHARE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 4th MAY to 22nd MAY, Both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
A. W. HUGHES,
General Manager.
Hong Kong, 24th April, 1936. [4378]

CENTRAL RESERVE
BANK

Chinese Government's
Intentions

Shanghai, May 20.

It is reliably stated that the Chinese Government is planning to establish a Central Reserve Bank, according to a decree issued last November, in about a month's time.

Until this materialises, details of the American silver purchases and Chinese holdings of gold and foreign exchange reserve, which are at present divided between three Government Banks, are not likely to be published.—
Reuter.

NORTH CHINA
RAILWAY

Another Link Under
Consideration

Tientsin, May 20.

In addition to the Tsingchow-Shihchiachuan Railway, the North China authorities are considering the building of another railway to link up Tientsin and Shihchiachuan, according to well-informed circles.

Discussions will be held between Mr. Chen Chu-chun, Managing Director of the Peiping Liaoning Railway Administration and the Tientsin Manager of the South Manchuria Railway Company regarding the technical assistance to be rendered by the latter in the building of these railways.—
Union News.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Fung Kong Un beg to announce that the marriage of their daughter, Stella, to Mr. Chau Sing Kan will take place at the Registry on Thursday, May 21, 1936. No invitations are being issued but all friends will be welcome at the Reception to be held at the Hong Kong Hotel at 4.30 p.m.
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UNDER THEIR SKINS

The average man, who, to be sure, takes a good deal for granted, commonly looks upon himself (with some complacency) as belonging to "one race or another." Our newspapers no longer dare to speak of the English race for fear of offending the Scot, so they freely substitute the British race, although the ethnologist might object that the British were the race, or races, which inhabited these islands before the English came. Dare we speak of the Scottish race when it is obvious that the native say of the Lothians is nearer akin to the Yorkshireman than he is to the denizen of Argyll or Sutherland, and that there is more difference between the East and West of Scotland than between the North and South of Great Britain? Then can we say that there is a British race, or, when we look at the Norwegian, the Dane, or the native of Normandy, must we admit that the difference between them and the British is only of language and nationality?

The matter is of some importance, because it tends again to become political. That pure Celt, Mr. De Valera, has succeeded in persuading the denizen of Southern Ireland that he is racially distinct and unique, although their history suggests that the Irish are an amalgam of British, English, Scottish and Scandinavian. Then we have Herr Hitler persuading the Germans that they are a pure Nordic race, whereas it used to be thought that the Prussian was half-Slav and that he differed racially from the Saxon or the Bavarian. Signor Mussolini seems to think that the Italians derive from the ancient Roman, although it used to be thought that the Savoyard was racially different from the Neapolitan. These popular beliefs have queer and sometimes dangerous political results. Thus, for example, Mr. Baldwin defended the democratic experiment in India on the ground that the Indian was our Aryan brother. Yet there is no such thing as the Aryan race; the term was invented to describe and embrace a group of languages. Moreover those who know India would be inclined to testify that there is a deep racial gulf between the "Dravidians" of the South and the fairer races of the North. Some would even detect a racial difference between the high castes and the low castes or out castes of the same province. These things, certainly, are not sufficiently well defined or well understood to form the basis of such confident political generalisations.

The student in this field will be disinclined to admit that national divisions and racial divisions ever coincide. Mr. Julian Huxley, whose interesting views on this subject had been summarised, goes further:

At the present day (he says) there exists no important human group which can properly be called a race, and the use of the term not only has no useful application, but actually leads to confusion, both scientific and political.

The first part of this proposition seems to be going rather far. The journalist may surely be allowed to generalise with undiminished confidence of the yellow races, the black races and the white races, although he can no longer be so cocksure of the subdivisions. The Japanese have the appearance of being a pure race, and in many nations it does not seem fanciful to detect certain racial distinctions. Yet even here we must be careful to distinguish what is from what is believed. Not every Englishwoman has large feet and protruding teeth, nor is every Frenchman a villain with a moustache. The

DR. COLBERT
QUESTIONEDOmission In Number
Of Marriages
DENIALS AT TRIAL

Tientsin, May 20.

The trial before the United States Court for China of Dr. John Colbert on a six-count indictment charging him with having administered poison to his wife with food, drink and medicine in an attempt to murder her was continued to-day.

Dr. John Colbert, cross-examined, admitted that he was married four times, the first to the Californian, Eleanor Bates, in 1905, whereas he told the District Attorney during the interrogation before the trial that he was married only thrice.

Accused denied that the omission was due to fear of enquiry into the circumstances of the first marriage, which was unhappy and ended in divorce.

The second marriage was in 1913 with Clara Cutts which was also dissolved and is still costing him a hundred United States dollars monthly as alimony. The third wife died.

CONFLICTING STATEMENTS

Accused denied that he predicted the death of the third Mrs. Colbert before he was sent to hospital. He was unaware of the rumours that death was not due to natural causes and also unaware that his brother-in-law had s stated.

Mr. A. R. Morrison (American attorney assisting Mr. Feltham Watson in conducting the prosecution) pointed out that the accused had stated in interrogation by Mr. Watson that he summoned Dr. Grice immediately after the present Mrs. Colbert was taken to bed, whereas, according to evidence in Court, he called Dr. Grice for the first time on October 31.

Accused replied that the interrogation record was full of mistakes.

Accused admitted the similarity of blood pictures of cases of pernicious anaemia and blood poisoning, and admitted that acetanilid produced similar changes in anaemia.

RESPONDED TO TREATMENT

Accused ascribed the recovery of Mrs. Colbert in hospital to the treatment, adding that she was on the way to recovery before entry to hospital.

Asked to explain why he stated her condition as "rather hopeless" when writing to Dr. Grice on November 20, accused replied that the comment referred to heart trouble and accused was worried when he wrote the letter.

Accused denied telling anyone that Mrs. Colbert was going to die. He admitted that the blood count at the German Hospital in Peiping on April 1 did not suggest pernicious anaemia.

The trial is proceeding.—
Reuter

FINAL ACCEPTORS
FOR DERBY

London, May 20.

The following are the final acceptors for the Derby to be run at Epsom Downs on May 27:—

Squadron Castle, Rhodes Scholar, Plaster Cast, Pay Up, Mendicant Friar, Barrystar, Couvert, Abjer, Noble King, His Grace, Walvis Bay, Magnet, Raeburn, Tajakbar, Balahissar, Mahmoud, Star Comedian, Monument, Haulfryn, Ormstead, Carlock, Spinalot, Midstream, Thankerton, Fearless Fox, Belacethel, Boswell, and Flares.—
Reuter.

more we see of mankind the less are we emboldened to generalise over their differences. Even Mr. Rudyard Kipling, who was as proud of his race (or nation) as any man, was driven to admit:

But the things you will learn from the Yellow an' Brown. They'll help you a lot with the White.

Nevertheless, we shall continue to be proud that we are English (no, British) allowing others to be equally proud that they are Danish, Dutch or Czechoslovakian. Where should we be without our illusions?

TIDE OF HOSTILE
FEELINGMILITARY CAMP IN
JERUSALEM

ARABS TO CONTINUE STRIKE

(Hong Kong Daily Press' Special)

Jerusalem, May 20.

Since it was learned here on Tuesday that the Jewish immigration quota, contrary to the Arab demands, had been raised instead of cancelled, tension in Jerusalem is at breaking point. The whole city gives the impression of a military camp.

All shops are closed and a mandate of the Government has forbidden the production, sale or carrying of knives or sticks which might be used for acts of violence. This measure is designed to check the acts of sabotage by the Arabs who have made hundreds of attempts at looting.

Meanwhile the Arab leaders have issued orders that the strike must continue, stressing the impossibility of meeting the British power with force, but express the hope of compelling respect for Arab rights by a peaceful strike.

The Jewish strike-breakers who discharged the first steamer at Tel Aviv were afforded the protection of a British cruiser. The Jews afterwards celebrated this with a festival, thus arousing bitter resentment among the Arabs.

For the time being the Mandatory Government have only been able to protect the main streets, roads, railway lines, and public buildings, but have been unable to stem the rising tide of hostile feeling which the British residents here compare with that in Dublin during the Irish Civil War.—
Transocean News Service.

GOVERNMENT LAWS

Jerusalem, May 20.

The Government has broadcast a notice to the effect that railways and roads will be under control of the military authorities and trespassers on lines do so at their own risk.

The Government also proclaimed a penalty of three years' imprisonment for manufacture, possession or carrying of daggers and one year's imprisonment for ownership.

Another murder took place in the Jewish quarter on Tuesday morning, when the son of the Jewish Burgo-master was shot dead in the street. Two Arab strike leaders have been fined £25 each for having incited to civil disobedience and non-payment of taxes.—
Transocean News Service.

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THREE AERODROMES
IN SARAWAKSultan Interviewed In
Singapore

Singapore, May 20.

The Sultan of Sarawak is proceeding to England from Singapore on Friday.

Interviewed, he stated that three aerodromes in course of construction in the country were now almost completed.

Regarding oil, he said the oil fields at Balikpapan are estimated to be exhausted in ten years' time and that engineers are prospecting for new fields, but the results are not definite.—
Reuter's Bulletin Service.

HOPEI-CHAHAR
AFFAIRSYin Ju Keng's Regime
To Be Abolished

Peiping, May 20.

Mr. Chen Chung-fu, Chairman of the Committee of Foreign Affairs of the Hopei and Chahar Political Affairs Council declared that in the negotiations at Tientsin with the Japanese authorities, it has been definitely decided to abolish the East Hopei bogus regime. As soon as the other problems including the new appointment of Yin Ju-keng are settled, the bogus regime will be abolished, added Mr. Chen.

In regard to the problems of joint defence against Communist invasion, Mr. Chen declared that as the Hopei and Chahar authorities are well-prepared to suppress the Communists and the latter are not in a position to invade Hopei and Chahar provinces at the present time, there is no immediate need to discuss the problem.—
Union News.

PROF. A. E. HOUSMAN
DEATH IS REPORTED

Cambridge, May 2.

Professor Alfred Edward Housman, the author of "The Shropshire Lad," died in a Cambridge nursing home late last night at the age of 77. He was a Fellow of Trinity College, and Kennedy Professor of Latin in the University since 1911.

Professor Housman was unmarried.

CHINESE PAPER
BANNEDSellers Arrested
In Tungshan

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, May 20.

For publishing unfounded and sensational news about Canton, the "Wah Kiu Yat Po," Hong Kong vernacular paper, was denied admission to Canton to-day. Seven news boys in Tungshan were arrested for selling this paper, and all copies were confiscated.

The news vendors did not know that the Hong Kong paper was placed under ban, as no copy was seized when the papers arrived at the Canton-Kowloon Railway station. The exact charge against the paper is not known. The offending news boys will be sentenced to ten days or two weeks' imprisonment at the penitentiary in Nam Shek Tai.

Although the "Wah Kiu Yat Po" has but a small circulation here as compared with other Chinese papers, representatives of that journal will come here this afternoon to seek the removal of the ban. The paper undertakes not to publish news detrimental to the interest of Canton and not to release same to non-competitive papers.

Police here are searching all news boys in an effort to eliminate the "Searchlight" from circulation here. The "Searchlight" is an outport semi-weekly paper, which is frank in its news of the political situation and the activities of high government officials.

COMMERCIAL AIR
SERVICESKwangtung-Kwangsi Link
With Other Provinces

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, May 20.

The South-west authorities are planning an extensive commercial air service which will eventually link Kwangtung and Kwangsi with the provinces in the north-west and the major cities in Central China.

The South-west Aviation Corporation has already completed the first half of the programme by establishing two regular air services, one between Canton and Lungchow, on the western border of Kwangtung near Annam, and the other between Canton and Nanking, via Pakhoi. The two routes which will probably be established next month will be between Nanking and Kweichow in Kweichow province and between Canton and Fochow, Fukien.

Recent negotiations between the Canton and Nanking authorities have resulted in definite plans to bring the South-west into closer contact with the Yangtze River cities and the north-west. A Canton-Nanking and a Canton-Nanking service will be inaugurated in the near future, it is stated, and other plans are being made for services to Chungking, Chungking, Sikang and Kunming.

The Canton-Hanoi air service, rights for which have been granted to the South-west Aviation Corporation by the Ministry of Communications, will probably be resumed about the middle of the month. However, definite arrangements await the return of Mr. Liu Pei-chuan, a member of the South-west Aviation Corporation, who is still in Nanking.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Sent by the Hume Pipe Authorities, Lau Tam, 50, was admitted to the Kowloon Hospital yesterday suffering from a crushed hand which was caught in the machinery at the Hume Pipe Works.

The offices of the French Consulate will be closed to the general public to-day, being the Feast of the Ascension of Our Lord.

The Japanese destroyer Karu-kaya is due here from Canton on Saturday and will stay two days. The Saga will arrive on the Sunday from Formosa and it is presumed that the ships will meet to exchange crews before the Saga resumes her duties on the West River.

H.M.S. Sandwich will arrive in Hong Kong this morning from a routine cruise.

One case each of Diphtheria and Enteric Fever were reported to the Health Authorities for the 24 hours ended on Tuesday.

FASCIST MOVE IN
SWITZERLANDInvestigation Fails To
Gather Evidence

(Hong Kong Daily Press' Special)

Berne, May 20.

The proceedings which were inaugurated by the Swiss authorities some time ago against Emilio Colombo and 19 other members of the Fascist group "Adula" on charges of having started a movement for the cession to Italy of the Italian speaking Canton of Tessin were squashed for lack of evidence.—
Transocean News Service.

JAPANESE EMPIRE CRITICISED

"Must Be The Simplest
In The World"

MANCHESTER GUARDIAN OPINION

Chiang May Be Forced
To Fight

London, May 20. The foreign policy of the Japanese Empire must be the simplest in the world, says the "Manchester Guardian." It is shortly to expand economically, politically and militarily whenever and wherever possible and no circumstance at home or abroad is permitted to vary this fundamental rule.

The declarations of Japanese statesmen and Ambassadors have not the least reference to what continues to be done. Since Stalin's declaration and the publication of the Russo-Mongol pact, it is clear that Japan could not advance farther westward without war with Russia, which she is not prepared to fight and would not win. Hence the Japanese flood is diverted southward.

After reviewing the smuggling in East Hoppel, "perhaps the most shameful case of robbery ever condoned by a great power," the journal goes on to say that the increase of the Japanese garrison in Tientsin gives general evidence of an attempt to undermine the Nanking Government.

The journal concludes that sooner or later the Chinese will have to fight if they wish to save anything. It is doubtful whether Chiang Kai-shek could survive another surrender. If he reaches an agreement with the Communists and Canton, he may this year answer the Japanese demands with defiance, even at the risk of open war.

OFFICIALS WORRIED

Tientsin, May 20. The activities of the Japanese in the selling of the Japanese smuggled goods in Kaigan are causing serious anxiety to the local authorities.

According to well-informed business circles, large numbers of Chinese shops are holding Japanese flags, given to them by the Japanese ronins. These shops are engaged in the selling of smuggled goods, and the authorities find it extremely difficult to collect taxes from them. For instance, the bus companies in Kaigan pay no tax to the authorities now with the protection of these Japanese ronins. Previously, they paid as much as \$9,000 as business tax.

MILITARY ACTIVITY

Tientsin, May 20. More than 2,000 workers are busily engaged in the building of barracks to provide accommodations for the Japanese reinforcements. In addition to these new barracks a new aerodrome will be built, occupying a total area of 850 mow.

The surrounding district, measuring five miles, has been practically deserted. No farming of any kind is being carried on in the land this year, due to the Japanese military construction in the area.

ROYALTY TO VISIT NEW LINER

Luncheon On Board

London, May 20. Queen Mary will spend a few hours abroad the giant Cunard White Star liner to which she has given her name when she visits Southampton next Monday, accompanied by the Duke and Duchess of Kent and the Duchess of Gloucester. The party will take luncheon in the magnificent cabin restaurant and will inspect every part of the vessel which is due to set off on her maiden voyage across the Atlantic on May 27. The liner's passenger accommodation is limited to 2,130 of whom 776 will be cabin passengers, 784 tourists and 579 third class. The total is very much lower than other liners of same fleet. The Majesty which has a total tonnage of only 56,551 accommodates 3,937 passengers, but in the new vessel unusually generous space is allotted to public rooms and state rooms. The Queen Mary's crew comprises 1,101 officers and men.

SOUTHPORT GOLF QUARTER-FINALS

American Challenger In Semi-Finals

Southport, May 20.

In the quarter-finals of the British women's open golf championship, Miss Kathleen Garnham, Pamela Barton, Bridget Newell and Molly Gourlay emerged as winners.

Kathleen Garnham (Essex) beat Mrs. Rhodes (Yorkshire) 4 and 3. Pamela Barton (Surrey) beat Doris Wilkins (Essex) 4 and 2.

Bridget Newell (Derbyshire) beat Marion Milley (America) 4 and 3. Molly Gourlay (Surrey) beat Jean Hamilton (Surrey) one up.

Reuter.

SEMI-FINALS

Southport, May 20. Pamela Barton beat Kathleen Garnham 5 and 4. Bridget Newell beat Molly Gourlay 3 and 2.

Reuter.

POLICY

JAPAN'S OFFER TO CHINA

Political Pact In Place
Of Tangku Agreement

Shanghai, May 20. "If the Chinese Government is dissatisfied with the Tangku Truce because it prevents the despatch of armed troops to the Demilitarized Zone, Japan is willing to conclude a political pact to replace it," said Major-General Kita, Japanese military attaché. Such an agreement, however, he added, would necessitate definition of relations between North China and Manchukuo and entail China's recognition of Manchukuo.

Reuter.

FRENCH ACTION AT ROUEN

Objection Raised At
Vatican

("Hong Kong Daily Press" Special)

Paris, May 20. Disagreement between the Holy See and the French government on a matter of diplomatic procedure has arisen through what the Vatican considers an unjustified interference by the French government in ecclesiastical affairs when irregularities were discovered in the financial matters within the jurisdiction of the Archbishop of Rouen.

The official Vatican view is that the French government admittedly has the right to exercise supervision in the appointment of high church dignitaries in France, but has no authority to remove such from office.

According to a message from Rome, the French ambassador at the Vatican, Charles Roux, left for Paris on Tuesday with a mission to take steps to settle the differences.

"Le Matin" points out, however, that the Quai d'Orsay holds very tenaciously to the view that its recent action was strictly correct, whereas the Vatican shows no disposition to retreat from its own standpoint seeing that a fundamental principle is at stake.

Transocean News Service.

TWO FIRMS TO COMBINE

Harland Wolff And
Short Brothers

London, May 20. An arrangement has been concluded between Harland Wolff, shipbuilders of Belfast, and Short Brothers, seaplane builders of Rochester under which the two firms are to form a new company to construct aircraft of both land and marine types at Belfast.

British Wireless.

STOP PRESS

NORTH CHINA SMUGGLING

London, May 20. At Commons question time, Mr. Eden said that the situation as regards smuggling was receiving the close attention of the British Government and the difficulties experienced by the Chinese authorities in combating smuggling were recently brought to the notice of the Japanese Government by the British Ambassador in Tokyo.

The reply of the Japanese Government to these representations was to the effect that the present smuggling campaign must be attributed partly to the high tariff rates imposed by the Chinese Government and partly to lack of interest on the part of the Chinese local authorities in safeguarding the revenues accruing to the Central Government.

Reuter.

MRS. ROOSEVELT INJURED

Washington, May 20. Mrs. Saradelano Roosevelt, the President's mother, fell and fractured her hip while visiting her great-grandchildren in New York.

Reuter.

GOLD COIN HOARDING

Move By Bank Of
England

REQUEST MADE
TO BROKERS

London, May 20.

The Bank of England has requested bullion brokers to cease buying gold coin at a premium over bar gold or sell them for hoarding, thus joining the Bank of France efforts to check the hoarding propensities of French petty capitalists who are recently streaming to London in order to obtain sovereigns which have been fetching 34/- to 35/- in the bullion market against melting value around 32/8.

The ban applies only to brokers, but some official announcement extending to the Banks is thought possible.

The move is criticised, however, as only a nuisance value and tending to create a black bourse since London jewellery and fancy goods shops which display offers for purchase of sovereigns will probably contrive for disposal to hoarders.

Moreover, it is remarked, this touches only the small man, while the interests able to afford bar gold are not affected, although some quarters think this differentiation is intentional since it is the former which constitutes the panic element.

Reuter.

SILVER MARKET

London, May 20.

London Silver prices to-day were down 3/16 for "Spot" and 1/8 for "Forward" as follows:

May 19/2 May 20/16

Spot 20-1/2 20-5/16

Forward 20-1/2 20-3/8

ANGLO-FRENCH TRADE

Steady Increase In
Exports

London, May 20.

Captain Euan Wallace, Secretary of the Department of Overseas Trade, who is in Paris in connection with negotiations for a new Anglo-French trade agreement, stated yesterday that negotiations were now in an advanced stage and should soon be completed.

It must, he added, be a matter of satisfaction to France that exports had steadily risen and in the first quarter of the current year Britain appeared as France's most important foreign customer.

He added that imports for the current quarter included among other things a race horse which was a fancied candidate for the Derby.

British Wireless.

GATWICK AIRPORT IN USE

London, May 20.

The new airport at Gatwick, Surrey, which was only opened on Sunday, is already being extensively used. There were nearly 80 landings and departures yesterday. The principal services are to France, Holland, Germany and Scandinavia.

A feature of the airport is the saving in time effected, due partly to the fact that a railway station

adjoins the aerodrome, linking it with the London-Brighton intensive rail service.

British Wireless.

NAKAYAMA MURDER TRIAL

"LITTLE KWANGTUNG" THROWS MORE
LIGHT ON CRIME

Shanghai, May 20. The trial was resumed at the Special District Court to-day of Yih Hui-sen, alias "Little Kwangtung," and Yang Weng-lao, charged with the killing of the Japanese marine Nakayama at Hongkong on November 9 last year, when the former made another sensational statement, and a third man was indicted for complicity.

Yih Hui-sen, who declared at when a group of persons, including the last hearing that he had in Yang, visited the scene of the crime, tended to kill the Japanese ever since the 1932 Shanghai war, made Yang denied both these allegations.

that his fellow accused, Yang A third Chinese, Chow She-weng-lao, gave him the pistol, a cabaret employee, was to which he shot the marine, charged by the Shanghai Municipal Council with complicity in the crime.

Reuter.

BUDGET SECRET LEAKAGE

Tribunal Concludes
Session

London, May 19.

Questions from Mr. Justice Porter, presiding at the investigation of alleged leakages of Budget information, elicited interesting revelations during the final day of the tribunal's session.

Mr. Kenneth Butt, son of Sir Alfred Butt, M.P., testified that his firm had been annoyed when it was discovered that he had done Budget insurance business, and asked him for an explanation. This he furnished, but he omitted his father's name in connection with the transactions because he had been engaged in them.

There was a further surprise when the financier, Mr. Edmund Waterton, who last week was testified to have mentioned the name of Mr. J. H. Thomas, Secretary of State for Colonies, in connection with Budget leakages, was interrogated on this point by Mr. Justice Porter.

To-day, Mr. Waterton said that Mr. Thomas' name only occurred to him as he was thinking things over about lunch time on April 20. He had been to a dinner party with Dr. Reginald Grigg, and Dr. Grigg had told him he was able to get information from a member of the Cabinet, and eventually mentioned Mr. Thomas' name. But witness agreed with the judge that it was really in the nature of light gossip.

Reuter.

FABRICATION OF LIES

London, May 20.

Mr. J. H. Thomas, accompanied by his son, unexpectedly appeared before the Budget Tribunal to-day to refute the evidence given yesterday in connection with the Pole Street dinner party.

When the Tribunal opened to-day, Mr. P. Vergottis the financier who effected cover against income tax, denied he was a friend of the doctor who told him he could get information from Mr. Thomas. Mr. Vergottis described the doctor's evidence as a fabrication of lies. He said he did not know Mr. Thomas and had never spoken to him.

Mr. Thomas during his brief appearance in the witness box said that he never saw Mr. Vergottis until to-day and never before heard of his name.

The evidence then concluded after which the counsels for various persons interested addressed the Tribunal.

Reuter's Bulletin Service.

GUFFEY COAL ACT INVALIDITY

Washington, May 19.

President F. D. Roosevelt declared to-day that the only answer to the Supreme Court's invalidation of the Guffey Coal Act was to make a fresh attempt to reach the objectives of that law.

He declined to state, however, whether fresh legislation to that end would be introduced at the present session.

Reuter.

NAVAL DISCUSSION OPENED

London, May 20.

The Anglo-Soviet naval treaty conversations were opened to-day at the Foreign Office.

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adjoins the aerodrome, linking it with the London-Brighton intensive rail service.

British Wireless.

DEPORTEES FROM ETHIOPIA

Another Crowd Of
Europeans

PRIEST REFUSES TO
OBEY ORDER

Resident In Ethiopia For
Forty Years

("Hong Kong Daily Press" Special)

Djibouti, May 20.

The last train arriving here on Tuesday from Addis Ababa brought another crowd of Europeans expelled at short notice by the Italian authorities. Hundreds more are expected to arrive within the next few days since the Italians are not permitting them to stay any longer.

Among those ordered to leave is the 64-year-old Apostolic Vicar of Harrar who, after living there for 40 years, refuses to obey the expulsion order, just as he declined to leave his cathedral recently when the Italian bombers attacked the city.

Serious differences of opinion have arisen between the administration of the Djibouti railway, owned by a French company, and the Italian authorities, the question at issue being the use of the railway service for Italian purposes.

In the first place the Italian authorities are said to have refused to pay the freight rates charged by the railway for the transfer of foodstuffs to Addis Ababa. Thereupon the railway administration declined to forward any more Italian freight to Addis Ababa.

Apparently the situation is complicated by the question of sanctions which France has not yet lifted.

Transocean News Service.

ORDER TO QUIT

Rome, May 19.

Father J. A. Rousseau, French missionary Bishop of Harrar, has been ordered to leave Ethiopia, on the ground that he has engaged in anti-Italian activities.

Reuter.

ETHIOPIAN YOUTH

Addis Ababa, May 19.

New measures have been proclaimed by Marshal Pietro Badoglio, and include the immediate construction of 2,000 miles of tar roads throughout the country and the enrolment of Ethiopian youths into a movement similar to that of the Fascist Youth organisations. Ethiopian boys will be given military training and their uniform will consist of a sports cap, black shirts and khaki shorts.

Reuter's Bulletin Service.

ITALIAN AMNESTY

Rome, May 19.

The release is announced of 498 political prisoners, confined in the Lipari Islands and elsewhere.

The reason for the amnesty is not given, but it is presumed it is connected with the celebration of Italy's victory in Ethiopia.

All Fascists capable of bearing arms between the ages of twenty-one and fifty-five will be enrolled in the militia at once.

Reuter's Bulletin Service.

FASCIST MILITIA

Rome, May 19.

All Fascists between the ages of 25 and 55, who are capable of bearing arms will be drafted for the Fascist Militia in accordance with the "solemn oath sworn by the Italian nation on May 9th for the defence of the newly won Imperium." A decision to this effect has been taken by the National Executive of the Fascist party on Tuesday.

The Executive, moreover, resolved to contribute a sum of five million Lira towards the erection of a monumental building to be erected in Rome in commemoration of the foundation of the Fascist Imperium. The building which will probably be located on the Via del Imperio will contain a memorial hall for those who fell in the Fascist revolution, as well as an immense assembly hall for party meetings, and will also house the exhibition of the Fascist revolution.

Transocean News Service.

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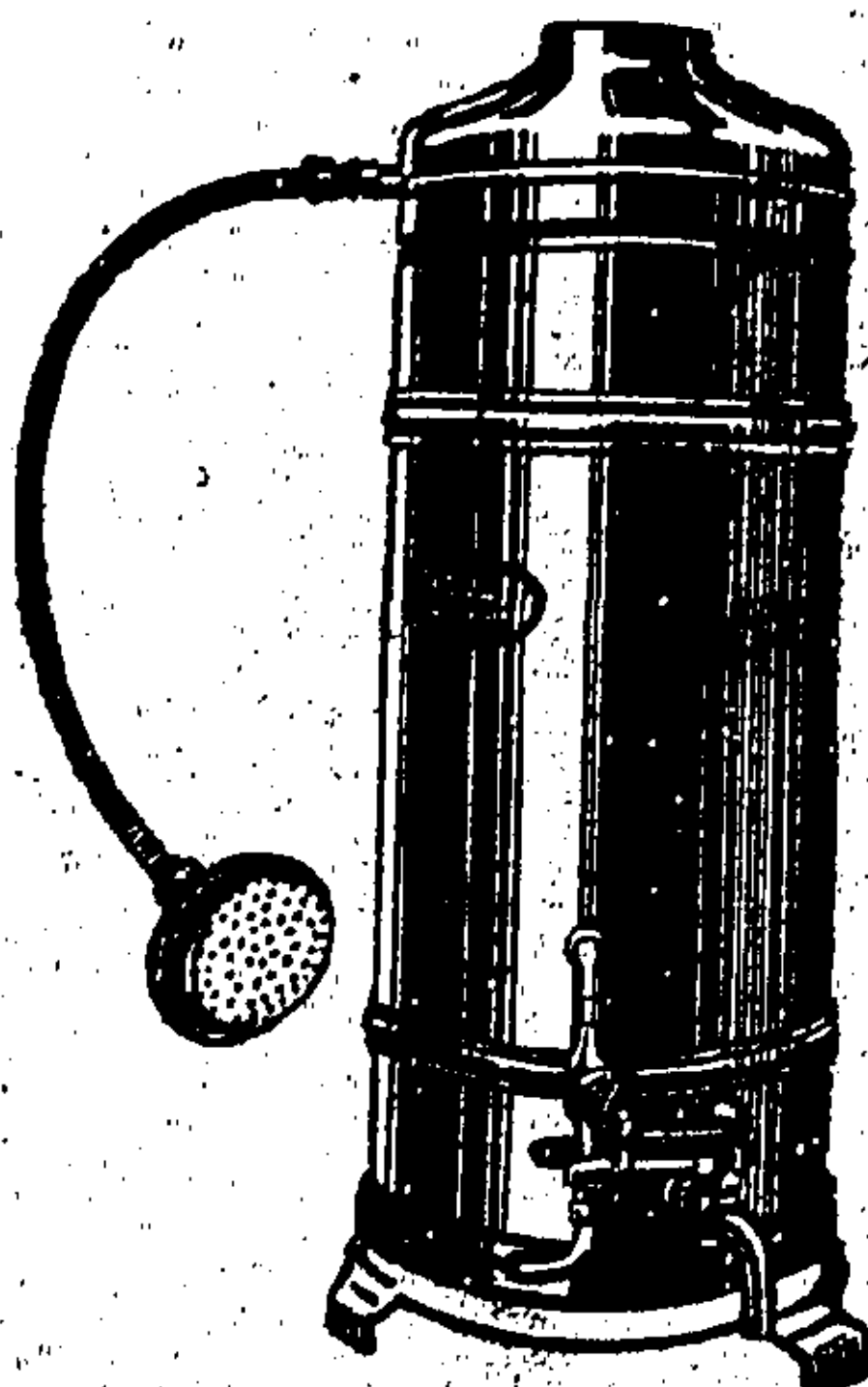
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DUNLOP-SOUTHPORT MEETING

W. J. Cox Two Ahead; Fine Round by King

COTTON ENCOMPASSED BY DISASTER

London, May 8. The kaleidoscope of fortune in the Dunlop-Southport golf tournament here to-day has been violently shaken, and sharp new outlines began to appear to-night with the finish of the second round of the final stages. We have W. J. Cox (Wimbledon Park), who played such a great game, yesterday, leading the field with a score of 141, followed by R. Burton (Hooton) and S. King (Knoke Park), each with 143, and J. J. Busson (Pantall) and J. Adams (Romford) with 144; a stroke behind these two Cotton and Padgham appear somewhat dimly on the horizon, Padgham striding along with all the leisureliness of the village policeman, Cotton distinctly fussed and out of joint. There remain for the third and fourth final rounds to-morrow 67 competitors who have qualified with cards of 153 and under.

The weather has been without the benediction of a single drop of rain and the air has had all the soft, warm haze of early summer. The crowds have almost assumed Wake Week proportions, and one would hardly have been surprised had they put on paper caps, slung coloured streamers into the air, and broken into song and dance round the tufted hillocks at the sixteenth, or stuck a maypole into the pinhole on the home green and capered their way through a lively Bergamask. Cotton, set on edge by his calamitous eight strokes at the seventh, might reasonably have been expected to protest, but one feels certain that the first to join hands in a ring of roses in the middle of his game would have been the always smiling Cox, with Padgham in his majestic way hanging not so far back.

It has been a day of lively and depressing incidents rather than, with the exception of Cox's superbly played 72, one of remarkable golf. We had King discovering the loss of a shoe just as he was about to leave the clubhouse, and being obliged to play in an unequal pair, one of which was leather-soled and the other of rubber. He had R. H. Fernbertson (Sutton Coldfield) following in one at the fifteenth. We had a lovely display of the older style of golf by A. Mitchell and almost crude melodrama from Cotton.

The best scores were the seventies of R. Burton and N. Sutton (Leigh). By far the most beautiful round to watch, however, was that in which Cox and Mitchell were partners. The older man was swinging effortlessly like a youth and disappointed only on the greens, where he was plainly affected by nervousness; even so, he almost pulled off a minor miracle at the tenth, where he missed sinking a twenty-yard putt by not more than a couple of inches. Cox had lost much of the bloom of yesterday's putting, but his play through the greens was of the kind that draws whistlings and "Oooooohs!" from the crowds.

Cox is a stocky young man in the middle twenties, with a figure bearing a marked resemblance to a spinning top. He hits a terrific ball from the tee, and for his iron he seems to roll up his sleeves to get down to the game, and golf to him is plainly a job of work. He plays with a complete absence of broodiness, and if his first putt fails to go down he may be noticed smiling down at it in a friendly sort of way and sometimes may be heard urging it on. To-day, he was taking two putts all the way to the turn, which he reached in 37. At the tenth he sank a twenty-yard putt for a birdie four, and at the eleventh was down from twelve yards for a birdie three. At the next hole, where his ball lay in an awkward lie in the crutch of two bunkers, he played a superb spoon to the foot of the green and took two putts for a scratch four. His only mistakes, if they can be called mistakes, were on the greens, for at the sixteenth and the eighteenth he was reduced to three putts. His figures, which hardly indicate the quality of his game, were: 3, 5, 4, 4, 4, 5, 4, 3, 5—37 out; 4, 3, 4, 4, 3, 5, 3, 5—37 in.

R. BURTON'S GOOD ROUND

R. Burton's round of 71 was marred by two unfortunate sixes at the

seventh and the fourteenth. He was badly bunkered from the tee at the seventh, took three more to reach the green, and then had two putts. At the fourteenth he was again bunkered and played an explosion shot which landed on the green at high speed and bounced off into the railway lines or bounds. Apart from this his card contained only one five and a fine showing of six threes. His most brilliant hole of the day was the 363-yard eighteenth, where he played a beautiful niblick shot to within four feet of the pin and holed out with one putt for a three. But for those two sixes he might well have broken this week's lowest score of 83—Cotton's for the Southport course.

There is no doubt that King's trouble with his shoes seriously affected his drives, for he managed his 73 largely by means of a consistently fine display on the greens, where he took only 12 putts in his outward journey of 38; he came back in 35.

Cotton's collapse on his outward journey with a fantastic 44 was all but overshadowed by the recovery of his homeward 34, four under the standard scratch score; but nothing can quite remove the stain from the memory of those dreadful first nine holes. At the sixth he was over the green with his approach and short with his first putt; all clearly, was not well. At the next Cotton's driving troubles came suddenly to a head. He sliced his drive into the rough and his ball lay in long grass on a hillock. Instead of using his mashie he took a spoon and pulled the ball at an angle of forty-five degrees into a bush on the top of a sandhill. He chopped out, a few yards into a deep hollow. Another shot carried the ball only a few yards farther. His fifth landed off the green in a bunker. A chip and two suppressed putts completed the picture of disaster, with a total of eight strokes for the hole. Again, at the ninth, he drove into the hillside from the tee to a bad lie and an awkward stance. He played a short spoon which failed to reach the green, played over the green into a bunker with his approach, and took two putts for a six to blow up his figures to 43 for the first nine holes.

A FINE RECOVERY

It was a dismal affair, with Cotton, dark-browed and with a loose lock of hair blowing picturesquely over his forehead, the picture of a deposed emperor. It is proof of Cotton's mastery over himself that he managed such a steady homeward nine. At the twelfth he sank a four-yard putt and at the fifteen a three-yarder; he finished by sinking a six-yard putt for a three at the eighteenth, and so came home in 34.

Padgham, who to-day returned an uneventful and uninspiring 74, which put him with Cotton in sixth place, seems once more to be playing his favourite game of retiring for a space the better to spring forward on the morrow.

H.K. ELECTRIC BOWLS RINKS FOR NEXT SATURDAY

The following will represent the Hong Kong Electric Recreation Club in the Second Division of the Lawn Bowls League next Saturday against Club de Releto at Ming Yuen:—

J. H. Barton, T. P. Sanderson, J. Sloan and S. Deacon (skip).
V. Sorby, J. L. King, G. T. Padgett and A. F. Paul (skip).
W. Orchard, G. G. Thompson, W. Stoker and W. H. B. Musket (skip).
Reserves: C. E. Gahagan and F. Duckworth.

HONG KONG F. A.

Council Meeting

The next meeting of the Council of the Hong Kong Football Association, will be held in the Sports Club, Hong Kong, at 5.30 p.m. on Monday next, May 25, 1936.

THE CURTIS CUP

A Halved Match

London, May 7.

The match between Great Britain and the United States for the Curtis Cup ended in a halved match over the King's Course of the Gleneagles Hotel yesterday. Each side winning four matches on the day's play. The foursomes were halved at one match each, with the third properly all square, and in the singles there were three wins to the credit of each country.

There was a thrill in the very last stroke of the day; one that, for the spectators at any rate, immediately consigned the weather to the limbo of things happily forgotten. This stroke was played by Miss Jessie Anderson, when America was downy one on the day and looked as certain as anything can be in golf to win the Cup. It was a forlorn hope, but Miss Anderson, to a short burst of delighted applause that was surely justified and which one is sure Mrs. Vane and her team would in no way grudge, turned it into glorious and amazing certainty for Great Britain. Mrs. Vane and her companions must be accorded the most ungrudging praise for the way in which they stood up to the elements, which certainly fought for Great Britain.

THE FOURSOMES

When the foursomes started the wind, which had been in the east, bringing with it all the easterly "haar" that for two days had blanketed Fife, backed towards the north, and for a brief interval there were hopes of better things. But this, however, was not to be, and the mist came down again out of the east, making visibility very poor and conditions most trying for the rest of the morning. In these damp and chilly circumstances the visitors, unused to such weather, put up a very brave show.

The "gallery," shepherded by stewards with red and yellow flags and with a Union Jack and the Stars and Stripes to mark the players' balls, naturally followed the first match, between Miss W. Morgan and Mrs. Garon (Great Britain); Mrs. E. H. Vane and Miss Betty Berg (U.S.A.). This on the play ended quite fairly in a half.

The match started with three halved holes. Then America took the lead. Great Britain squared with a grand 3 at "Blink Bonny," where Mrs. Garon put an iron shot close to the hole and Miss Morgan holed the putt. America, however, became two up at the Whaup's Nest, where Miss Morgan missed a short putt. Great Britain, halved the ninth with the help of a stylin', but found trouble at the 10th, and that was two down again. America took three putts at the short 11th, and then came Mrs. Garon's memorable shot. Once again Miss Morgan was bunkered off the tee and Great Britain had to play the odd from 50 yards away with America, in the like, lying safe for a 5. It looked like two down, with six to play, but Mrs. Garon holed her pitch and run for a 4 and won the hole to square the match. America were in trouble all the way to "Braid's" Brawest, and Great Britain took the lead for the first time. At the next hole America squared with a perfect 3, Miss Berg laying an approach by the hole side.

The 15th saw Miss Berg fall at a short putt, and it did look as if Great Britain might scramble home. Alas! Miss Morgan pulled her tee shot to the short 16th; Mrs. Vane made no mistake, and once again it was a level match with two to play. The 17th provided a surprise almost as startling as the 12th. Great Britain were plumb, 10 yards to the left, in 2. Mrs. Vane, unbalanced by a couple of stray wanderers crossing the back of the green, fluffed her second. Miss Berg played a very good run-up to within 10ft. of the hole; Mrs. Vane holed out from that distance. Great Britain took three putts, and, instead of being downy one, as seemed very likely, were one down with one to play. To the "King's Flame" Miss Morgan made ample amends. Left to play a full iron to the green in the like after Mrs. Vane—in trying to drive over the hill—was bunkered, she suddenly found her true swing and whipped the ball crisply and sweetly to within two yards of the pin. That was too much for America, and Great Britain was left with 2 for the hole and a halved match.

The second match ended in a well-deserved victory for America by two and one. In this Mrs. Cheney was the heroine, for she played very steadily. Mrs. Walker and Miss Pam Barton were two up with five holes played, but a quick change followed, for Great Britain took three putts on four of the

YACHTING

MIXED CLASSES RACE

The Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club held a Mixed Classes Race yesterday starting from Murray Pier at 17.20.

The course was Channel Rocks (P), Kowloon Rock (P), Club line, a distance of 5.75 miles. Details follow:

Yacht	Finished	Corrected P.
Artemis, A4...	19.17.24	19.17.24
La Linda A5...	D.N.F.	
Jan A6...	19.21.47	19.21.47
(Capt. Krogh-Moe).		
Painted Lady A14 D.N.F.		
Wideopen Y5...	19.30.35	19.27.14
(Miss Crawhall-Wilson).		

LAWN BOWLS

Pairs Championship Started

In the Colony Lawn Bowls Pairs championship played yesterday afternoon, J. E. Noronha and F.X.M. da Silva overcame C. Pile and C. Downman by the score of 25-14 on the Kowloon Bowling C.C. green, while R. O. Read and G. H. Sherriff defeated J. W. Leonard and W. Ward 23-18. Both matches were evenly contested. In the latter game, Read and Sherriff scored a five in their total, also two fours.

next five greens and so were two down at the 10th.

The third match, which went to Great Britain, was a curious one. The start was terrible. America (Mrs. O. S. Hill and Miss Charlotte Glutting) winning the first two holes in 7 and 5 respectively. After that Great Britain (Mrs. A. Holm and Miss Jessie Anderson) gave of their best, reeled off the next eight holes in level 4's (grand figures), were three up, and won eventually by three and two.

ALL TO FIGHT FOR

After luncheon, accordingly, all was to fight for, but with the weather in favour of Great Britain. In the light of that thrilling finish the earlier play must be passed over, and with it some excellent golf. In the first match Mrs. Vane turned one up on Miss Morgan, and with always a little in hand, turned her lead into two at the 14th, the end coming at the 18th, where both were bunkered, but Miss Morgan took two to recover.

Mrs. Holm, playing great golf, went out in 38 against Miss P. Berg, but turned only three up, and went on to win by four and three. Gallant Mrs. Garon then put Great Britain ahead with a runaway victory against Mrs. Hill, who found the combination of wind, driving mist, and golf too much for her.

In the other three matches it was a case of cut-and-thrust, with very little in it; that little being in favour of America. The first was between Miss Pam Barton and Miss Charlotte Glutting. Putting proved Miss Barton's downfall. It was the same story with Mrs. J. B. Walker against Mrs. J. D. Crews, whom most of us will remember as Miss Maureen Orcutt. Mrs. Crews played the more convincing golf, going out, turned three up, and was still two up, going to the "Denty Den." At the "Denty Den" Mrs. Crews was 15ft. from the hole, and above it, in 3, whereas Mrs. Walker in 2 was some six yards past. She putted not dead, but to within a yard. Mrs. Crews, seeing a bare, possible chance, banged her ball straight down that slope and holed it. Mrs. Walker missed and was three down instead of one down. She did win two holes of the next three, but the Fates would not forgive.

America, therefore, was downy one, with only Miss Jessie Anderson and Mrs. L. D. Cheney to come in, very very late in the day. This was a rare fight. They were all square at the turn. At the 18th (the "wee bogie") Miss Anderson made a grand recovery from a bunker and holed a putt of five yards to square the match. The 17th came as an anticlimax, for Miss Anderson fluffed a pitch (why will so many ladies take a lofted club to play this shot?), and then Mrs. Cheney missed a very short putt to become downy. To the home hole both were short of the green in 2, and both played brave approaches in the stress of the moment. Mrs. Cheney had to play the odd from eight yards and laid her putt stone dead, leaving Miss Anderson with her putt of seven yards to save all. Miss Anderson went very calmly up to her ball and hit it smoothly. The ball travelled on and suddenly disappeared. The match was all seven.

ST. LOUIS ON TOP

BASEBALL RESULTS

New York, May 19. Freddie Lindstrom, veteran outfielder of Brooklyn Dodgers, has asked to be placed on the voluntarily retired list, saying that he feels he is finished and cannot help his club any more.

The following were the results of the League baseball matches played to-day.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	5	13	0
Boston	8	15	1

The following games were postponed on account of rain: Cincinnati v. Brooklyn; Pittsburgh v. New York; St. Louis v. Philadelphia.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	4	4	1
Chicago	2	8	2

Washington 2 4 1
Detroit 4 8 0

Philadelphia 4 9 1
St. Louis 8 11 0

New York 10 14 2
Cleveland and Lou Gehrig homered.
Cleveland 4 7 3
Sullivan, hit a home run.—
Reuter.

WOMEN'S GOLF

Last Eight Drawn At Southport

Southport, May 19.

Only one of the American challengers for the British women's open golf championship now remains with the third round completed. Marion Miley is the single survivor, both Mrs. Glutting and Mrs. Crews who won through to the third round being defeated at that stage.

Even Marion Miley was taken to one 19th hole in her third round by Elsie Corlett, the Lancashire county champion, who had previously eliminated the American Fatty Berg by one up.

The draw for the last eight, none of whom have previously won the title is as follows:

Kathleen Garnham (Essex) v. Mrs. Rhodes (Yorkshire), Pamela Barton (Surrey) v. Doris Wilkins (Essex), Bridgett Newell (Derbyshire) v. Marion Miley (U.S.), Jean Hamilton (Surrey) v. Molly Gourlay (Surrey).

Third round results were:—Kathleen Garnham beat Miss Blake (Ireland) 7 and 5, Mrs. Rhodes beat Mrs. Crews (America) at the 20th, Pamela Barton beat Mrs. Glutting (America) 3 and 2, Doris Wilkins beat Mrs. Temple Dobell, the 1912 champion and the last surviving holder by 4 and 3, Bridgett Newell beat Mrs. Newton 3 and 2, Marion Miley (America) beat Elsie Corlett at the 19th, Jean Hamilton beat Vivian Lamb (Scotland) 3 and 2 and Molly Gourlay beat Phyllis Wade 3 and 2.—
Reuter.

£20,000 LEGACY FOR LORD BADEN-POWELL

London, May 5.

A bequest of £20,000 on trust to Lord Baden-Powell for life, with remainder to his two daughters, is contained in a will published to-day.

The testator was Col. John Kinder Spilling, of The Red House, Windlesham, Surrey, who died on March 22, aged 87. He left £371,431, with net personality £371,257. (Estate Duty £111,642 11s. 8d.).

There is also a similar legacy of £5,000 upon trust for Lady Baden-Powell.

Colonel Spilling also left £5,000 to his late wife's maid, Ann Gadsby, £20,000 to Edward Nanney Wynne, of Towyn, £10,000 to Grace Nanney Wynne, £20,000 to Herbert William Baldwin, of Larnington, and after other bequests the residue of the property to Mr. Wynne.

A member of Colonel Spilling's household told the "Evening Standard":—
"Colonel Spilling was a great friend of Lord Baden-Powell and was with him in the same regiment—the 13th Hussars.
"Although the colonel had not been connected with either the Army or the Scout movement for 21 years, he often saw Lord and Lady Baden-Powell."

BRITAIN AND THE LEAGUE

"Taking Stock"

FAILURE OF STEPS TO STOP AGGRESSION

Premier And Deputation

London, May 5. After a deputation from the League of Nations Union had waited upon them at the House of Commons last night, the Prime Minister and Mr. Eden emphasised that the Government would have to take stock of the League of Nations position in the light of the apparent failure of collective action in the Italo-Abyssinian dispute. The question of the reform of the Covenant, it was stated, would need very careful consideration.

The deputation had been arranged ten days ago. It was introduced by Lord Cecil.

An official communique, issued after the meeting with Mr. Baldwin and Mr. Eden, stated that the deputation expressed the conviction that H.M. Government would receive vigorous support in pursuing a courageous policy in the critical situation caused by the apparent success of Italian aggression in Abyssinia.

The Union had consistently urged, ever since the outbreak of hostilities, that the most effective measures should be taken collectively in order to stop the war. The Union had not altered in its conviction that this policy should still be carried out. The alternative was frankly to admit the complete failure of the League, with the implied admission that it was impossible to prevent military aggression by joint international action; this alternative could not be contemplated without great injury to the moral authority of Great Britain and the imminent danger of European war. A foreign policy based on the League was the only one upon which the British Empire could be united.

It was necessary to consider what could be done, in view of the inadequacy of the League's action in the present case, to make it a more efficient instrument for the prevention of war rather than for attempting to arrest hostilities after they had begun.

CONTINUED ECONOMIC PRES-SURE ON ITALY?

British public opinion was the Union believed, deeply humiliated by the failure of the League of Nations to save Abyssinia from invasion and from the horrors of gas warfare. Unless Italy were prevented by the economic pressure of the League from enjoying the fruits of her unjust victory it was doubtful whether the British people would be ready to come to the assistance of other members of the League, who might be victims of aggression in the future.

Mr. Eden gave the deputation the latest information available concerning the situation in Addis Ababa.

The deputation consisted of Lord Cecil (president), Professor Gilbert Murray (chairman), Lord Lytton (vice-chairman), Lord Allen, Sir Norman Angell, Mr. Arnold-Forster,

HOW DOCTORS WILL CLOSE SAFETY-PIN IN

BABY'S LUNG

London, May 2.

One of the most skilful operations known to surgery is to be performed at King's College Hospital, Denmark Hill, S.E., next week, writes correspondent.

It is the removal of an open safety pin from the lung of a 21-months-old baby, Thomas Christy, of Crawley-lane, Oldham, Lancs.

Two attempts to remove the pin have already been made at the Royal Manchester Children's Hospital, Pendlebury.

I was shown to-day the delicate instruments which will be used for the operation.

An instrument called a laryngoscope is first inserted through the mouth and down the windpipe. This has the effect of straightening the windpipe for the passage of a foot-long instrument called the bronchoscope.

PINHEAD LIGHT

The laryngoscope is lighted by two tiny electric bulbs which shine down the inside of the tube and form a centre spotlight.

The bronchoscope is separately lighted by a bulb no larger than a pinhead. This is fitted on the end of a wire which passes down a groove of the bronchoscope.

The instrument is then pushed down through the centre of the laryngoscope and into the lung, which is located by the bending of the baby's body to the right or left—whichever lung is sought.

Once this instrument is in place the laryngoscope can be removed by sliding off the top section.

INGENIOUS INSTRUMENT

The next operation is to close the safety pin by means of a combined set of forceps and a tube on the end of which is a swivelled ring.

This instrument passes down the centre of the bronchoscope and the forceps, which are two pieces of spring steel opened and closed by the movement of the tube which encases them, grip the head of the pin while the ring is passed beneath it over the body of the pin and pulled towards the head, thus closing it.

It is then possible to remove the closed safety-pin through the tube without fear of tearing the wall of the lung.

The condition of the baby is at present very weak, but it is hoped that with special treatment the operation can be performed within the next few days.

BRITISH MEDAL FOR DR. ECKENER

London, May 2.

The British Gold Medal for Aeronautics has been awarded by the Aeronautics Committee, on the recommendation of the Council of the Royal Aeronautical Society, to Dr. Hugo Eckener for his technical achievements in lighter-than-air craft.

The Silver Medal has been awarded to Mr. A. J. Rowledge, for his scientific achievements in the development of aircraft engines.

Mr. Noel Baker, Mrs. Corbett Ashby, Dr. Maxwell Garnett, Lady Gladstone, Mr. G. M. Mander, M.P., Sir Archibald Sinclair, M.P., and Mr. A. G. Walkden, M.P.

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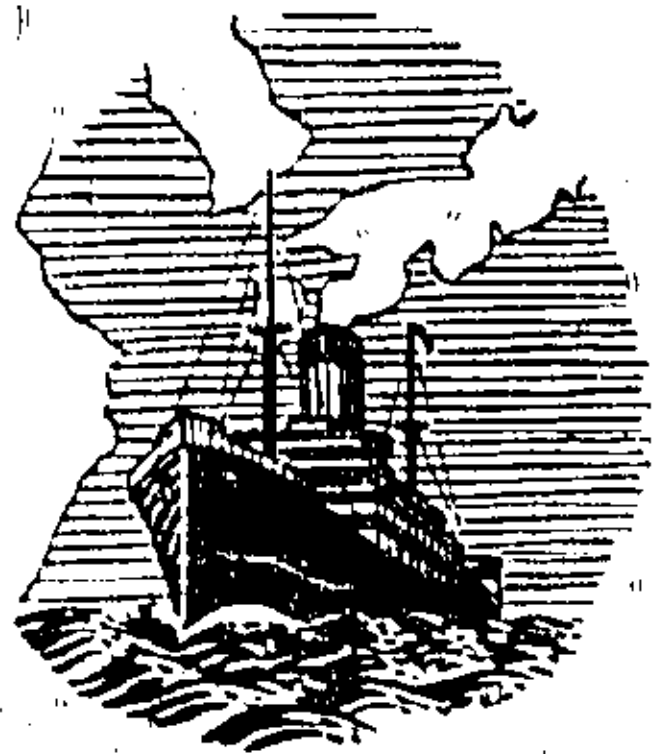
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NAVAL APPOINTMENTS

ADMIRALTY'S LATEST LIST

London, May 7.

The following appointments were made by the Admiralty yesterday:

Cdr.—D. K. Ball, to Valorous, in command (May 2); R. L. St. J. Fancourt, to Neptune (May 11); R. Grenfell, to Drake (June 15); M. Fogg Elliott, to Venetia, in command (undated); and A. M. Williams, to Iron Duke (on recomm.).

Surgn. Cdr.—J. E. Clark, M.R.C.S. L.R.C.P., to Malabar for Bermuda Dockyard (May 11).

Lt.-Cdr.—L. G. Durlacher, to Valorous (May 2); I. H. Bockett, to Fugh, to Iron Duke (May 11); S. K. Horn, to Resolution (May 12); and R. G. Stewart, to Achates, in command (undated).

Lt.—K. C. Ogilvie, to Orion (May 8); J. W. Linton, to Iron Duke (May 11); A. C. Duckworth, to Sabre (May 27); H. G. D. de Chair and R. E. Topp, to Achates; L. C. Clouston, J. T. B. Birch, and F. C. Reseligh, to Venetia (undated).

Payr. Sub-Lt.—B. K. Freedman, to Arctura (May 12).

Sig. Bosn.—J. W. Leader, to Apollo (June 19).

Mr. Tel.—N. J. Y. Greenwood, to President for passage out (May 2); and lent to R.A.N. for period of 2 years as exchange officer.

PROMOTION.

Lt. (Retd.)—C. H. Coles, to rank of Lt.-Cdr. (ret'd.) (seny. May 5).

RETIREMENT.

Lt.-Cdr.—S. A. Brooks, placed on the Retd. List, at own request, with rank of Cdr. (May 9).

ROYAL NAVAL RESERVE.

Payr. Lt.—J. F. Church, placed on the Retd. List, (March 24).

Sub-Lt.—A. Tyson, promoted to Lt. (seny. April 4); and H. L. Blackburn (act.), promoted to Sub-Lt. (seny. April 20).

Mr. W. G. Pitcher entered as Prob. Sub-Lt. (seny. May 1).

Capt.—C. M. Blackman, D.S.O., to Douglas, in command (on transfer), and as Capt. (D), 20th Flotilla (undated).

Cdr.—D. Gilmour, to Royal Sovereign (May 6); G. D. Belben, D.S.C., to Ardent (May 15); and in command (undated); G. A. French, to Apollo (June 19); C. P. Clarke, L. A. K. Boswell, and W. G. Andrewes, to Rodney (undated).

LAST OF THE "BIG FIVE"

Charles Arrow Deceased

London, May 6.

Ex-Chief-Inspector Charles Arrow, of Scotland Yard, the last surviving member of the original "Big Five," has died at Hove. He was at one time Scotland Yard's greatest authority on blackmail.

The first Council of Five, as they were officially described, were appointed in 1906. The other members were Chief-Inspectors Forest, Fox, Drew and Kane. When he retired in 1907 after 26 years' service at Scotland Yard, ex-Chief-Inspector Arrow went to Barcelona at the request of the Spanish Government, to put an end to the bomb outrage that was so prevalent.

Frequent attempts were made on his life but when he left the country two years later he had established a detective force in Spain on the lines of the Special Branch at Scotland Yard. In Barcelona his arrival was a signal for demonstrations by anarchists, who protested against the appointment.

The revolution in Barcelona brought much valuable information to Mr. Arrow on the movements and identity of the anarchist leaders, and they were arrested.

When he returned to England he set up a private detective agency, which grew to one of the largest in Europe.

Mr. Arrow was twice wrongly reported dead. On one occasion there was a discussion in the House of Commons about blackmail and the then Under-Secretary of State referred to Mr. Arrow as the greatest expert on the subject but added that unfortunately he was dead.

This news appeared in the Government Blue Book.

A few years earlier his death was reported from Barcelona.

Mr. Arrow held the view that one national C.I.D., with offices at New Scotland Yard, would be of great use in dealing with serious crime in the country.

Mr. Arrow decided to take up police work when he received a reward of ten shillings for his part in the arrest of school robbers. He became a uniformed policeman and tracked down a gang of coiners.

Payr. Mid.—R. D. M. W. Thomas-Ferrand, to Emerald (April 28).

ROYAL NAVAL VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

Surgn. Lt.—Cdr. (D)—E. D. Collins, to Victory for R.N.B. (May 6).

Lt.—J. W. Hutchison, to Winchester (May 13).

Payr. Lt.—C. W. R. Kingsley, to Ramilles (May 8).

Surgn. Lt.—R. D. Jenkins, to Ramilles (May 16).

Prob. Mid.—J. K. Taylor, to Ramilles (May 10).

Mr. P. L. R. Watson entered as Prob. Sub-Lt. (seny. April 29).

ARRIVAL OF LORD WILLINGDON

SCENE OF WELCOME AT ST. PANCRAS

London, May 5.

The Earl of Willingdon, late Viceroy and Governor-General of India, and the Countess of Willingdon reached Tilbury yesterday morning in the Strathmore, which also took the new Viceroy out to Bombay. Shortly before 1 o'clock they arrived by special train at St. Pancras Station, where they had an enthusiastic and indeed affectionate welcome from many friends. The first to greet them was the Earl of Dunmore, who conveyed a message of welcome from the King.

Lord and Lady Willingdon were accompanied on the voyage by Colonel Ross Stewart, I.M.S. (Surgeon), Captain Frank Pearson, A.D.C., and Mrs. Muir. Their intention to leave the boat at Marseilles and reach Croydon by air last Wednesday was abandoned on account of a chill which Lord Willingdon contracted soon after the Strathmore left Suez and which kept him in his cabin for five days. Happily he made a quick recovery and showed his accustomed vigour on greeting his friends. Lord and Lady Willingdon were met at Tilbury by their son, Viscount Ratendone, and Miss Egerton.

When the train came to a standstill at St. Pancras the waiting crowd gave three hearty cheers led by Mr. R. K. Sorabji. The Marquess of Zetland's greetings followed those of Viscountess Ratendone and Lord Dunmore. Other members of the Government were prevented from coming by a Cabinet meeting. The Prime Minister was represented by Mr. E. D. Speed, and Mrs. Baldwin was also present. Similarly Viscount Halifax, detained in Downing Street, was represented by Mr. C. A. Hendricks, his private secretary, and Viscountess Halifax was present.

The large India Office contingent with Lord Zetland included: Sir Findlater Stewart, Mr. R. A. Butler, M.P., Sir Leonard Wakely, Sir Cecil Kisch, five members of the India Council (Sir Alan Parsons, Sardar Bahadur Mohan Singh, Sir Atul Chatterjee, Sir Denys Bray, and Sir Charles Teagart), Lieutenant-Colonel A. F. R. Lumby (representing Lieutenant-General Sir John Coleridge), Sir John Megaw, Sir Herbert Pearson, Mr. W. D. Croft, Lieutenant-Colonel W. G. Neale, Mr. D. T. Montagu, Mr. P. J. Patrick, Mr. G. H. Baxter, Mr. G. E. Crombie, and Mr. A. F. Morley.

The High Commissioner for India, Sir Bhupendra Nath Mitra, recently underwent an operation, but, undeterred by easterly winds, was among the throng, and was provided with a chair during the time of waiting. Others from India House were Mr. B. Rama Rau (Deputy High Commissioner), Dr. D. B. Meek, Mr. Setaman, and Mr. Y. N. Sukthunkar. The Indian Rulers had a representative in the Rajah of Sawantwadi. The previous Governor-Generalship of Lord Willingdon was recalled by the presence of Mr. Massey, the High Commissioner for Canada, and Mrs. Massey.

The company also included: The Dowager Marchioness of Reading, Lord Lamington (East India Association) and Lady Lamington, Field-Marshal Sir Philip Chetwode (until recently Commander-in-Chief in India), Sir Percy Cox, Sir Stephen Demetriadi, Lady Carmichael, Lord Desborough, Sir William Wilcox, Sir Stanley and Lady Jackson, Lady Abdul Qadir, Viscount Hampden, the Duchess of Richmond and Gordon, Captain Freeman-Thomson, Lord Greville (the Treasurer), and Sir George Cory (the Deputy Treasurer of St. George's Hospital, the chairmanship of the rebuilding fund of which Lord Willingdon has accepted). Sir Edward Campbell, M.P., Lady Anna Newman and Miss Rosie Newman, Colonel Eric Murray (British Empire League), Sir B. L. Mitter, Colonel Vivian Gabriel, Sir Robert and Lady Reid, Colonel Hastings Ismay, Sir Hubert Carr, Sir Edward and Lady Villiers, Major Cropleigh, Lieutenant-Colonel Wilberforce Bell, Lady Procter, Mr. H. D. Rice, Sir Horace Williamson, Dr. D. J. Berham, and Colonel Gannon.

A considerable time was spent in greeting old friends and acquaintances, and Lord and Lady Willingdon showed their usual gift of immediate recognition of all whom they had previously met. A large bouquet of mauve carnations was presented to Lady Willingdon before they left in their car for their home in Lygon Place.

LEAGUE FUTURE IN DANGER

Geneva's Fears

EMPEROR MAY SPEAK FOR HIMSELF

Geneva, May 3.

The Emperor of Abyssinia's departure, and the entry of the Italians into Addis Ababa were hotly debated in diplomatic and League circles here to-day. Delegations kept in constant telephonic touch with their Governments. The demand for news was insatiable.

It is stated openly that Geneva stands at the parting of the ways. If, at the next Council meeting on May 11, it is decided to remove Sanctions, then the League will, it is declared, have sealed its own fate.

One member of an important small Power said to-day: "If we are to have insecurity we shall prefer insecurity that is individual to an insecurity that is collective."

That feeling is prevalent in Geneva now. It means the withdrawal of the nations from the council table if sanctions are withdrawn.

Next Tuesday's debate in the House of Commons, during which Mr. Eden is to be asked whether he will propose to the League the withdrawal of Sanctions, is being awaited with great interest. It is not believed that the British Foreign Secretary will recommend the removal of Sanctions. No body here seriously considers that effective Sanctions can be increased.

fore they left in their car for their home in Lygon Place. Owing to his recent indisposition Lord Willingdon has been obliged to cancel his engagement to be the guest of honour at the annual dinner of the London Chamber of Commerce to-night.

at present; but it is strongly maintained that there should be no deviation from the principle.

ITALY'S SITUATION

Reliable statistics show that Italian exports dropped from February, 1935, to February, 1936, by nearly 50 per cent. Decrease in exports to League countries was nearly 95 per cent. During the same period there was almost a 50 per cent. decline in Italian imports, and the financial situation in Italy seems desperate.

In these circumstances it is argued that if existing Sanctions be continued, and if League States refuse to recognise Abyssinia as an Italian possession, then the ultimate settlement will be much more favourable to the League and to Abyssinia than a peace negotiated with an Italy liberated from Sanctions. It is pointed out here that Italy has actually "conquered" only about half of Abyssinian territory.

It is thought the Emperor may come to Europe and represent his country at the forthcoming Council meeting in Geneva.

The possibility of "saving face" by striving to obtain a League mandate over Abyssinia is also being mentioned.

If the member States, it is emphasised here to-night, allow themselves to be influenced by the military situation in Abyssinia, then the League will have ceased to be worthy of serious consideration as a factor in world politics. Should the League continue to apply existing Sanctions, and refuse to recognise Abyssinia as an Italian colony, then it may yet vindicate its action.



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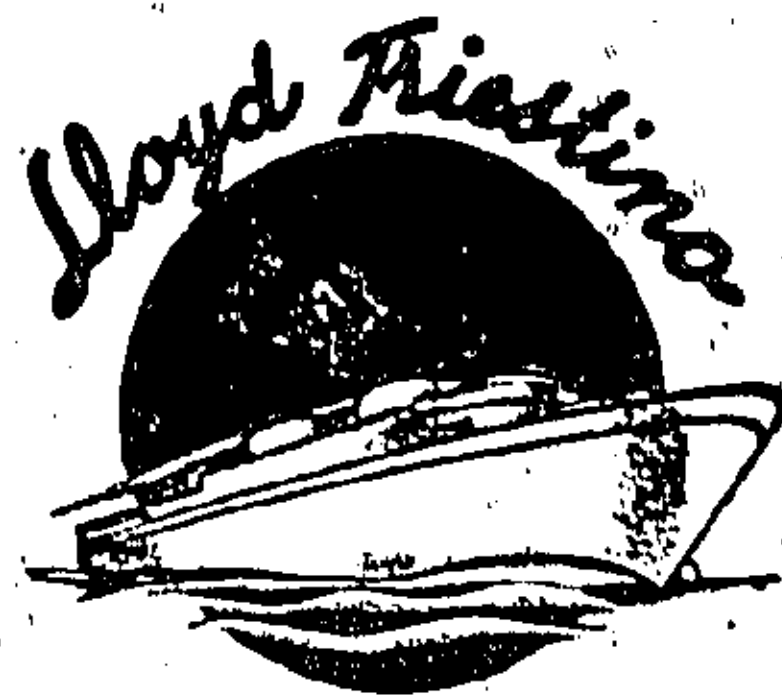
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THE EXCHANGE MARKET

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Silver prices were lower yesterday to the extent of 1/16 for Ready and 1/8 for Forward, the quotations being 204 for both deliveries. Silver advices reported China, as having sold and India as having bought. After the official fixing there were small Indian inquiries at 1/16 under the quoted rate. In America the rate was lower at 45¢ for Spot. The London/New York cross-rate was slightly higher at 4.97. New York/London was lower at 4.97 1/32.

MARKET

Quiet, the undertone was not robust.

STERLING

Opened with sellers at 1/3 11/16, buyers bidding 1/3 23/32 resulting in business at 1/3 11/16 for near and forward. The market closed with sellers at 1/3 11/16 for near and forward, buyers at 1/3 23/32 for any delivery.

U.S. DOLLARS

Business was done at 32 9/16 for cash and towards the close 32½ was also arranged for forward delivery. The market closed with sellers at 32½ for near and probably forward, buyers at 32 9/16 for any delivery.

SHANGHAI DOLLARS

Business was done in the Inter-Bank market at 109½ for cash. There were sellers at 109 3/16, buyers at 109½ for cash.

SHANGHAI MARKET

There were sellers of Sterling at 1/24 for May and U. S. Dollars at 29½ for May.

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

Very little business was transacted during the short session and the market displayed signs of being on the easy side.

BUYERS

Benguet Exploration 21 cts.
 Demonstration 88 cts.
 Northern 30 cts.
 Regions 1.28.
 United Paracale 1.
 Venz. Goldfields 4.
 Providents (Old) 1.05.
 Hotels 4.85.
 H.K. Land 4% Debentures 100.
 H. K. Realities 44.
 Hongkong Trams 11.
 China Lights (New) 7.40.
 Singapore Traction 23/-.
 Watsons 33.45.
 Govt. 4% Loan 6% Prem.
 Govt. 3½% Loan par.

SELLERS

Antamoks 22.80.
 Wharves 91.
 Providents (Old) 1.10.
 Star Ferries 80.
 China Lights (Old) 10.85.
 Cements 9.80.

SALES

Hongkong Banks 1565.
 Bagulo Gold 27 cts.
 Demonstration 89/90 cts.
 Northern 33 cts.
 San Maurizio 11.
 Ewo Cottons Sh.83.
 Humphreys 83.55.
 Star Ferries 88.

AMERICAN SILVER POLICY

Agreement With China Favourably Received

New York, May 19. The Sino-American agreement is favourably received by leading bankers and monetary authorities, who express the opinion that the transaction is the most sensible move yet undertaken by the Treasury in connection with its silver policy. It is held that the arrangement is decidedly sound, when contrasted with the practice last year of bidding up the silver price. However, there is not much hope for early international currency stabilisation by a series of bilateral conferences, as hinted by Mr. Henry Morgenthau, Secretary of the Treasury. Silver circles are now most interested regarding the scope of the prospective silver purchases, and it is understood that a definite schedule of purchases for the announced period has been agreed upon. *Reuter.*

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE)

	May 18.	May 19.
Paris	75 3/84	75 39/64
Geneva	15.35	15.74
Berlin	12.33	
Athens		520 S.
Milan		801
Shanghai	1 2/7 1/8	1 2/7 1/8
New York	4.98 1/2	4.97 1/16
Amsterdam	7.34 1/2	7.35 1/2
Vienna		100 1/2
Prague	119 1/2	
Bucharest	673 S.	
Madrid	36 23/64	30 7/16
Lisbon		
Hong Kong	1 1/3 25/32	
Brussels	39 5/16 S. O.	29.38 1/2
Montevideo		
Belgrade	4.97 1/2	4.96 1/2
Montreal		
Yokohama		
Helsingfors		
Rio		
Buenos Aires		
Silver (Spot)	20 1/2	20 1/2
Silver (forward)	20 11/16	31 1/2 100
War Loan		

Closing Quotations

On London:	May 19, 1936.	On New York:
Telegraphic Transfer...	1 1/2	Bank Bills, on demand 32 1/2
Bank Bills, on demand 1/16		Credit, 60 days' sight 33 1/2
Bank Bills, 4 months' sight	1/3 1/2	ON BATAVIA:
Credit, four months' sight	1/4 1/16	On demand 47 1/2
ON SHANGHAI:		ON PARIS:
On Demand 107 1/2		Bank Bills, on demand 49 1/2
ON SINGAPORE:		Credit, 4 month's sight 50 1/2
On demand 55 1/2		ON SINGAPORE:
ON JAPAN:		On demand 49 1/2
On demand 110 1/2		ON MANILA:
ON INDIA:		On demand 64 1/2
Telegraphic Transfer...	1 1/2	ON BANGKOK:
Bank, on demand 1 1/2		On demand 143
		SOVEREIGNS, Bank Buying
		Rate 1/4 1/16
		BAR SILVER, per oz. 20 1/2

SINGAPORE RAW RUBBER

Latest Singapore Prices

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Wednesday, May 20. Messrs. H. D. Joseph & Co. received the following quotations from Singapore in Straits Currency for Raw Rubber.

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Wednesday, May 20. Messrs. Benjamin & Potts received the following Straits currency quotations (buyers) from Singapore to-day for Raw Rubber.

PHILIPPINE GOLD MINING SHARES

Wednesday, May 20. Messrs. Benjamin & Potts received the following quotations from their Manila Agents this morning:

Beng. Constds.	11.90	12.00
Antamoks	1.75	1.80
United Paracales	.66	.68
San Maurizio	.78	.80
I. X. L's	1.15	1.20
Masbates	.52	.53
Demonstrations	.58	.59
Big Wedges	.23 1/2	.24
Itogons	.82	.84

BERLIN'S BIG DEAL WITH MANCHUKUO

£6,000,000 IN SOYA BEANS A YEAR

London, May 2. Germany's urgent need of fats is shown by the terms of her new trade agreement with Manchukuo signed here yesterday. It provides that Germany shall buy yearly £6,000,000 worth of soya beans and that the Reichsbank shall pay cash for three-quarters of the amount, the rest being paid for in German products. I hear from German sources that the Reichsbank agreed to such a large cash payment because of the pressing need of fats. The chief value of the soya bean is connected with the making of bread, cattle food, milk linoleum, enamels and soap. Germany will have the option of increasing the payment in kind to £2,200,000 and also of retaining the right to re-export the beans. *Reuter.*

GERMAN CREDITS

NO INCREASE GRANTED

London, May 19.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer stated in the House of Commons at question-time that his attention has been drawn to figures in the report of the Bank for International Settlements and to the fact that in certain quarters the inference has been founded on these figures that British bankers had increased their German credits during 1935. The Committee of British short-term creditors had published a statement showing that this inference was based on a complete misapprehension. Total British credits, both used and unused, decreased during 1935 by just over a million pounds. Larger reductions in credits of other countries were mainly due to the willingness of creditors there to accept repayment in German currency, with the heavy capital loss which such repayment involved. *British Wireless.*

TRADE BARRIER ABOLITION

American Campaign

Washington, May 19. In furtherance of the campaign to secure equal commercial treatment for all nations, Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, in a speech here to-night, called for an end of discriminatory trade practices in favour of reciprocal "most favoured nation treatment." He declared that an established regime of equality of treatment requires not only that nations should refuse to grant preferences in their own markets, but also refrain from seeking a preferential position in the markets of other countries. *Reuter.*

ALARM IN FRANCE

Paris, May 19.

Financial circles are perturbed by the vast unemployment programme launched by the General Confederation of Labour, under which, assuming the power behind the throne of the new Socialist Government, it calls on the Bank of France to advance immediately 500,000,000 francs to finance public works. The programme insists on immediate nationalisation of the arms industry and the introduction of a 40 hours week. *Reuter.*

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Optional Cargo will not be landed here unless Notice has been given prior to Steamer's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 a.m. and Noon within the Free Storage period.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Steamer's Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 25th May, will be subject to Rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 8th June, 1936, or they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance will be effected BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE Agents.

18th May, 1936. [4438]

SILVER LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

FROM NEW YORK AND LOS ANGELES

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having arrived from the above Ports on 17th instant, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on Saturday, 23rd May, 1936, at 10 a.m.

All Claims must be presented within 15 days of the vessel's arrival here after which date they cannot be recognised.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 25th May, 1936, will be subject to Rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by FURNESS (FAR EAST), LTD., 2nd Floor, Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Building, 11th May, 1936, at 2.15 p.m. [4434]

Hong Kong, 19th May, 1936. [4434]

SILVER AGREEMENT WITH CHINA

"Financial Times" Opinion

London, May 19.

Discussing the United States silver agreement with China, the "Financial Times" says to-day that broadly speaking the understand-

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Damaged Packages will be examined by the Company's Surveyor, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas in the presence of the Consignees at 10.00 a.m. on Thursday, 21st May, 1936.

Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when any dutiable goods are examined by the Company's Surveyors.

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Hong, Kong 19th May, 1936. [4431]

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All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 5th June, 1936, or they will not be recognised.

To comply with the General Banded Warehouse Regulations, consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 30th May 1936, at 9 a.m. by Messrs. Carmichael & Clark.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by W. R. LOXLEY & CO. (CHINA) LTD. Agents.

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Sestian, Douglas, May 22.	Amoy.
Szechuen, B. & S., May 23.	Amoy.
Hong Kong Maru, O.S.K., May 24.	Amoy.
Yunnan, B. & S., May 25.	Amoy.
Haining, Douglas, May 26.	Amoy.
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, May 27.	Amoy.
Fukuen Maru, O.S.K., May 28.	Amoy.
Taiyuan, B. & S., May 29.	Amoy.
Hai Lee, Thoresen's, May 29.	Amoy.
Sirdhaas, B.I. (Aper), May 29.	Amoy.
Haitan, Douglas, May 29.	Amoy.
Cremer, J.C.J. Line, June 2.	Amoy.
Tjinalak, J.C.J. Line, June 10.	Amoy.
Shirala, B.I. (Aper), June 11.	Amoy.

Newchwang, B. & S., May 21.	Amoy.
Oldenburg, Jensen's, May 21.	Amoy.
Yunnan, B. & S., May 25.	Amoy.
Chengtu, B. & S., May 27.	Amoy.
Hupoh, B. & S., May 29.	Amoy.

Patroclus, B. & S., May 22.	Amoy.
Sinkiang, B. & S., May 24.	Amoy.
Muensterland, Jensen's, June 3.	Amoy.
Neckar, Melchers, June 4.	Amoy.
Hague Maru, O.S.K., June 5.	Amoy.
Leverkussen, Jensen's, June 8.	Amoy.
Stentor, B. & S., June 8.	Amoy.
City of Christ Church, B. Line, June 10.	Amoy.
Rheinland, Jensen's, June 25.	Amoy.

Newchwang, B. & S., May 21.	Amoy.
Sestian, Douglas, May 22.	Amoy.
Sinkiang, B. & S., May 24.	Amoy.
Haining, Douglas, May 26.	Amoy.
Chengtu, B. & S., May 27.	Amoy.
Haitan, Douglas, May 29.	Amoy.
Hupoh, B. & S., May 29.	Amoy.
Muensterland, Jensen's, June 3.	Amoy.
Neckar, Melchers, June 4.	Amoy.

Hong Kong Maru, O.S.K., May 24.	Amoy.
Canton Maru, O.S.K., May 31.	Amoy.
Sinkiang, B. & S., May 24.	Amoy.

Shanghai and Japan	Amoy.
Benalder, Loxley's, May 21.	Amoy.
Naruto Maru, N.Y.K., May 22.	Amoy.
Pres. Jackson, A.M. Line, May 22.	Amoy.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 23.	Amoy.
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, May 24.	Amoy.
Benalder, Loxley's, May 25.	Amoy.
Anna Maersk, Jensen's, May 26.	Amoy.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., May 28.	Amoy.
Sirdhaas, B.I. (Aper), May 28.	Amoy.
Tango Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.	Amoy.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., May 29.	Amoy.
D'Arctagan, Messageries, May 30.	Amoy.
Himalaya, Lloyd Triestino, May 30.	Amoy.
Calebas, B. & S., June 1.	Amoy.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., June 3.	Amoy.
Muensterland, Jensen's, June 3.	Amoy.
Pres. Taft, Dollar's, June 3.	Amoy.
Benvenne, Loxley's, June 3.	Amoy.
Danmark, E.A. Co., June 4.	Amoy.
Nankin, B. & S., June 4.	Amoy.
Neckar, Melchers, June 4.	Amoy.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., June 5.	Amoy.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, June 5.	Amoy.
Mennon, B. & S., June 7.	Amoy.
Gen. Sherman, States Co., June 6.	Amoy.
Leverkussen, Jensen's, June 8.	Amoy.
Scharnhorst, Melchers, June 9.	Amoy.
Stentor, B. & S., June 9.	Amoy.
Tauras, P. & O., June 10.	Amoy.
Carl, P. & O., June 11.	Amoy.
Shirala, B.I. (Aper), June 11.	Amoy.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., June 12.	Amoy.
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., June 12.	Amoy.
Oder, Melchers, June 13.	Amoy.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, June 13.	Amoy.
Sphinx, Messageries, June 13.	Amoy.
Benledi, Loxley's, June 13.	Amoy.
Peiping, Gilman's, June 13.	Amoy.
Pres. Grant, A.M. Line, June 19.	Amoy.
Rheinland, Jensen's, June 25.	Amoy.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., June 26.	Amoy.
Felix Rausch, Messageries, June 26.	Amoy.
General Lee, States Co., June 27.	Amoy.

Shanghai and VIA PORTS.	Amoy.
Tsinan, B. & S., May 21.	Amoy.
Victoria, Lloyd Triestino, May 21.	Amoy.
Patroclus, B. & S., May 22.	Amoy.
Yunnan, B. & S., May 25.	Amoy.
Szechuen, B. & S., May 26.	Amoy.
Willandra, Dodwell's, May 26.	Amoy.
Kiungchow, B. & S., May 24.	Amoy.
Kwai-sang, Jardine's, May 24.	Amoy.
Sinkiang, B. & S., May 24.	Amoy.
Norviken, Jardine's, May 27.	Amoy.
Sunning, B. & S., May 27.	Amoy.
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, May 27.	Amoy.
Taiyuan, B. & S., May 29.	Amoy.
Hupoh, B. & S., May 29.	Amoy.
Kwangtung, B. & S., May 31.	Amoy.
Takung, Jardine's, May 31.	Amoy.
Sumatra, Lloyd Triestino, June 5.	Amoy.
Leverkussen, Jensen's, June 8.	Amoy.
Tjinalak, J.C.J. Line, June 10.	Amoy.
Demodocus, B. & S., June 15.	Amoy.
Conte Verde, Lloyd Triestino, June 20.	Amoy.

Newchwang, B. & S., May 21.	Amoy.
Yunnan, B. & S., May 25.	Amoy.
Sestian, Douglas, May 22.	Amoy.
Haining, Douglas, May 26.	Amoy.
Hong Kong Maru, O.S.K., May 24.	Amoy.
Yunnan, B. & S., May 25.	Amoy.
Haining, Douglas, May 26.	Amoy.
Kiungchow, B. & S., May 24.	Amoy.
Kwai-sang, Jardine's, May 24.	Amoy.
Anhui, B. & S., May 25.	Amoy.
Haining, Douglas, May 26.	Amoy.
Chengtu, B. & S., May 27.	Amoy.
Norviken, Jardine's, May 27.	Amoy.
Sunning, B. & S., May 27.	Amoy.
Fukuen Maru, O.S.K., May 28.	Amoy.
Hai Lee, Thoresen's, May 29.	Amoy.
Haitan, Douglas, May 29.	Amoy.
Hupoh, B. & S., May 29.	Amoy.
Canton Maru, O.S.K., May 31.	Amoy.
Kwangtung, B. & S., May 31.	Amoy.
Takung, Jardine's, May 31.	Amoy.
Cremer, J.C.J. Line, June 2.	Amoy.
Kalgan, B. & S., June 2.	Amoy.

Patroclus, B. & S., May 22.	Amoy.
Muensterland, Jensen's, June 3.	Amoy.
Neckar, Melchers, June 4.	Amoy.
Hague Maru, O.S.K., June 5.	Amoy.
Leverkussen, Jensen's, June 8.	Amoy.
Stentor, B. & S., June 8.	Amoy.
City of Christ Church, B. Line, June 10.	Amoy.
Rheinland, Jensen's, June 25.	Amoy.

Newchwang, B. & S., May 21.	Amoy.
Yunnan, B. & S., May 25.	Amoy.
Sestian, Douglas, May 22.	Amoy.
Haining, Douglas, May 26.	Amoy.
Hong Kong Maru, O.S.K., May 24.	Amoy.
Yunnan, B. & S., May 25.	Amoy.
Haining, Douglas, May 26.	Amoy.
Kiungchow, B. & S., May 24.	Amoy.
Kwai-sang, Jardine's, May 24.	Amoy.
Anhui, B. & S., May 25.	Amoy.
Haining, Douglas, May 26.	Amoy.
Chengtu, B. & S., May 27.	Amoy.
Norviken, Jardine's, May 27.	Amoy.
Sunning, B. & S., May 27.	Amoy.
Fukuen Maru, O.S.K., May 28.	Amoy.
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Leverkussen, Jensen's, June 8.	Amoy.
Stentor, B. & S., June 8.	Amoy.
City of Christ Church, B. Line, June 10.	Amoy.
Rheinland, Jensen's, June 25.	Amoy.

Newchwang, B. & S., May 21.	Amoy.
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Kiungchow, B. & S., May 24.	Amoy.
Kwai-sang, Jardine's, May 24.	Amoy.
Anhui, B. & S., May 25.	Amoy.
Haining, Douglas, May 26.	Amoy.
Chengtu, B. & S., May 27.	Amoy.
Norviken, Jardine's, May 27.	Amoy.
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Hague Maru, O.S.K., June 5.	Amoy.
Leverkussen, Jensen's, June 8.	Amoy.
Stentor, B. & S., June 8.	Amoy.
City of Christ Church, B. Line, June 10.	Amoy.
Rheinland, Jensen's, June 25.	Amoy.

Newchwang, B. & S., May 21.	Amoy.
Yunnan, B. & S., May 25.	Amoy.
Sestian, Douglas, May 22.	Amoy.
Haining, Douglas, May 26.	Amoy.
Hong Kong Maru, O.S.K., May 24.	Amoy.
Yunnan, B. & S., May 25.	Amoy.
Haining, Douglas, May 26.	Amoy.
Kiungchow, B. & S., May 24.	Amoy.
Kwai-sang, Jardine's, May 24.	Amoy.
Anhui, B. & S., May 25.	Amoy.
Haining, Douglas, May 26.	Amoy.
Chengtu, B. & S., May 27.	Amoy.
Norviken, Jardine's, May 27.	Amoy.
Sunning, B. & S., May 27.	Amoy.
Fukuen Maru, O.S.K., May 28.	Amoy.
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Hague Maru, O.S.K., June 5.	Amoy.
Leverkussen, Jensen's, June 8.	Amoy.
Stentor, B. & S., June 8.	Amoy.
City of Christ Church, B. Line, June 10.	Amoy.
Rheinland, Jensen's, June 25.	Amoy.

Patroclus, B. & S., May 22	Amoy.
Muensterland, Jabsen's, June 3.	Amoy.
Neckar, Melchers', June 4	Amoy.
Oder, Melchers', June 13.	Amoy.
Rheinland, Jabsen's, June 25.	Amoy.

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	Leave	Leave	Leave	Leave	Leave	Leave	Arrive
E/Canada	May 29	May 31	June 1	June 3	June 5	June 13	June 17
E/Russia	June 12	June 14	June 16	June 18	June 20	June 28	June 30
E/Japan	June 26	June 28	July 1	July 3	July 5	July 13	July 17
E/Asia	July 10	July 12	July 14	July 16	July 18	July 26	July 28
E/Canada	July 24	July 26	July 28	July 30	Aug. 1	Aug. 7	Aug. 11
E/Russia	Aug. 7	Aug. 9	Aug. 11	Aug. 13	Aug. 15	Aug. 23	Aug. 25
E/Japan	Aug. 21	Aug. 23	Aug. 25	Aug. 27	Aug. 29	Sept. 6	Sept. 8
E/Asia	Sept. 4	Sept. 6	Sept. 8	Sept. 10	Sept. 12	Sept. 20	Sept. 22
E/Canada	Sept. 18	Sept. 20	Sept. 22	Sept. 24	Sept. 26	Oct. 3	Oct. 5
E/Russia	Oct. 2	Oct. 4	Oct. 6	Oct. 8	Oct. 10	Oct. 18	Oct. 20
E/Japan	Oct. 16	Oct. 18	Oct. 20	Oct. 22	Oct. 24	Oct. 31	Nov. 3

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NARUTO MARU ... Friday, 22nd May
NAGARA MARU ... Friday, 15th June

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HEIYO MARU ... Saturday, 4th July

LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM
HARUNA MARU ... Saturday, 23rd May
KATORI MARU ... Saturday, 6th June
KASHIMA MARU ... Saturday, 9th June

LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus, and Valencia.
DAKAR MARU ... Wednesday, 10th June

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila and Ports.
KITANO MARU ... Saturday, 23rd May
ATSUTA MARU ... Saturday, 27th June

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang and Colombo.
TOKIWA MARU ... Thursday, 28th May
MORIOKA MARU ... Saturday, 6th June

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.
HAKODATE MARU ... Friday, 29th May
LISBON MARU ... Sunday, 7th June

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Agapenor, M. & S., June 1.
Agra, Gilman's, June 1.
Anna Maersk, Jensen's, May 23.
Antenor, B. & S., June 19.
Arabia Maru, O.S.K., June 3.
Astoria, Jensen's, May 24.
Asutsu Maru, N.Y.K., May 23.
Belhar, P. & O., June 5.
Benalder, Loxley's, May 21.
Benjedi, Loxley's, June 16.
Benroch, Loxley's, June 9.
Benvenne, Loxley's, June 9.
Bhutan, P. & O., May 22.
Biyo Maru, O.S.K., May 30.
Borneo Maru, O.S.K., June 2.
Buenos Aires Maru, O.S.K., May 21.
Burkina, P. & O., June 9.
Calcutta, B. & S., June 1.
Canada Maru, O.S.K., June 14.
Canton, Messageries, May 25.
Canton Maru, O.S.K., May 27.
Chakung, Jardine's, May 22.
Chanute, B. & S., June 12.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., May 22.
Chitral, P. & O., May 20.
City of Christ Church, Bank's, June 10.
City of Elwood, States Co., June 25.
City of Mobile, Bank Line, June 8.
Centa Verde, Lloyd Trieste, June 20.
Corfu, P. & O., June 10.
Cingalese Prince, Furness's, May 27.
Cremor, J.C.J. Line, June 2.
D'Artagnan, Messageries, May 30.
Demodocus, B. & S., June 15.
Duisburg, Jensen's, June 8.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., July 2.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., May 21.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., June 4.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., June 19.
Felix Roussel, Messageries, June 26.
Foyalebank, Bank Line, May 25.
Fukuen Maru, O.S.K., May 23.
Gertrude Maersk, Jensen's, May 30.
Gen. Sherman, States Co., May 29.
Golden Mountain, States Co., May 24.
Guisanau, Melchers's, May 22.
Hadokate Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Hague Maru, O.S.K., June 4.
Hamburg Maru, O.S.K., June 19.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., May 22.
Havana Maru, O.S.K., May 31.
Hozan Maru, O.S.K., May 30.
Isar, Melchers's, June 10.
Ixion, B. & S., June 8.
Jean Laborde, Messageries, June 2.
Kiano Maru, N.Y.K., May 22.
Kwantu Maru, O.S.K., June 8.
Leverkusen, Jensen's, June 8.
Malaya, E.A. Co., May 24.
Manila Maru, O.S.K., May 27.
Meerkerk, J.C.J. Line, June 11.
Memnon, B. & S., June 7.
Munsterland, Jensen's, June 2.
Nankin, B. & S., June 3.
Naruto Maru, N.Y.K., May 21.
Neckar, Melchers's, June 1.
New York State, States Co., May 31.
Oldenburg, Jensen's, June 2.
Patriot, B. & S., May 22.
Panama Maru, O.S.K., June 16.
Paul Doumer, Messageries, May 29.
Peiping, Gilman's, June 18.
Philippines, B. & S., June 29.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, June 5.
Pres. Grant, A.M. Line, June 12.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, June 4.
Pres. Jackson, A.M. Line, May 22.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M. Line, June 23.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, May 29.
Pres. Polk, Dollar's, June 19.
Pres. Taft, Dollar's, May 25.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, May 22.
Ranpara, P. & O., June 8.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., May 27.
Rheinland, Jensen's, June 24.
Roggeveen, J.C.J. Line, May 31.
Santhia, B.I. (Apcar), May 24.
Shirala, B.I. (Apcar), May 28.
Sirdhana, B.I. (Apcar), May 28.
Scharnhorst, Melchers's, June 9.
Soudan, P. & O., June 13.
Sphinx, Messageries, June 13.
Sumatra, Lloyd Trieste, June 5.
Sumatra Maru, O.S.K., June 18.
Tai Ping Yang, Dollar's, June 17.
Tanda, E. & A., June 2.
Tangul Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Taybank, Bank Line, June 24.
Tilawa, B.I. (Apcar), June 23.
Tingora, J.C.J. Line, May 25.
Tissandari, J.C.J. Line, May 24.
Tissandari, J.C.J. Line, May 31.
Tissandari, J.C.J. Line, May 23.

NEWS FROM THE WATERFRONT

Freight And Asiatic Passengers Returns

(BY LONGSHOREMAN).

The freight returns, received from the Harbour Office during the 24 hours ended at 9.00 a.m. yesterday, showed a fairly high tonnage movement, a large proportion of which being contributed by British ships.

The total tonnage of general cargo carried by vessels to the Colony was 27,613 tons, with British steamers carrying 9,323 tons.

Through cargo for ports beyond the Colony amounted to 16,992 tons, of which 2,010 tons were carried by British steamers. Asiatic deck passengers entering into the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9.00 a.m. yesterday were 550, of which 537 were from British steamers.

There were altogether thirteen arrivals, of which five were of British registry, the remainder being of other nationalities, while of the 15 departures, four were British ships, the rest being of other different countries. Particulars as follows:—

Nationality	Ships	Tonnage
Beng. Consols.	11.90	12,000
Norwegian	2	3,297
French	1	9,408
German	1	7,942
Portuguese	1	300
Japanese	2	8,225
Chinese	1	3,900
Total	13	44,605

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS

The N.D.L. s.s. "Gneisenau" sailed from Shanghai yesterday morning (20th instant) and is expected here at 6 a.m. on the 22nd instant. She will sail for Europe via Manila, Singapore and ports at 8 p.m. on the same day.

The R.M.S. "Empress of Japan" arrived at Vancouver on the 18th May (Tuesday) at 3 p.m. and leaves Vancouver on the 30th May (Saturday) a.m. She is due at Hong Kong on the 19th June (Tuesday) at a.m. and will leave Hong Kong for Manila on the same day at evening.

The P. and O. Line's steam ship "Bhutan" left Shanghai for this port on the 19th instant at 1 p.m. and is due here on the 22nd inst. at about 6 a.m.

The B.I. and Apcar steam ship "Santhia" will leave Amoy for this port on the 23rd instant, and is due here on the 24th instant.

The B.I. and Apcar steam ship "Santhia" will leave the Colony for Singapore, Port Swettenham, Penang, Rangoon and Calcutta on or about Wednesday, 27th May, 1936, at 2.30 p.m.

Tokuwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 27.
Touregreen, Thoresen's, May 25.
Toulouze, Thoresen's, June 24.

ARRIVALS

20TH MAY, 1936.

Nagato Maru, Japanese steamer, 4,325 tons. Capt. S. Nakashima, from Singapore. Kowloon Wharf.—N. Y. K.

Hop Sang, British steamer, 1,359 tons. Captain D. S. Pethick, from Canton, buoy No. A15.—J. M. & Co.

Hal Yang, British steamer, 1,430 tons. Captain W. G. Erwin, from Foochow and Amoy via Swatow, Douglas Wharf.—Douglas & Co.

Kwai Sang, British steamer, 1,434 tons. Captain M. Costello, from Tsingtao & Shanghai via Swatow, West Point Wharf.—J. M. & Co.

Hong Kong Maru, Japanese str., 1,559 tons. Captain H. Misaka, from Swatow. O. S. K. Wharf.—O. S. K.

Huashan, Chinese steamer, 2,377 tons. Captain Torgersen, from Otaru, buoy No. B23.—M. S. K.

Hal Chen, Chinese steamer, 2,060 tons. Captain H. Y. Hughes, from Canton, China Merchant Steam Navigation's Wharf.—

Hal Yuan, Chinese steamer, 2,078 tons. Captain J. M. Johannesen, from Shanghai and Swatow. C. M. S. N. Wharf.—

Soochow, British steamer, 1,594 tons. Captain J. Clark, from Newchwang via Tsingtao, buoy No. B3.—Butterfield and Swire.

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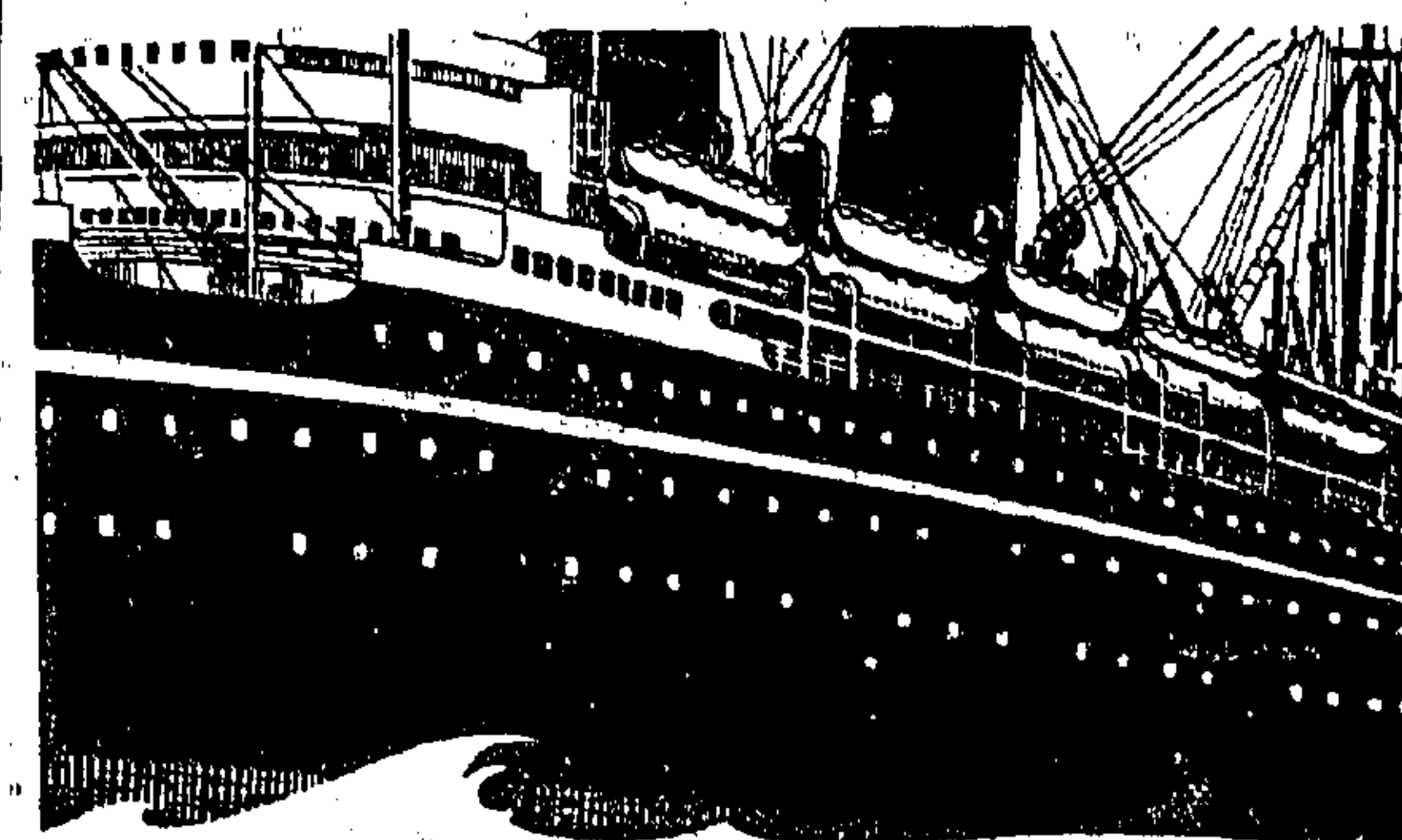
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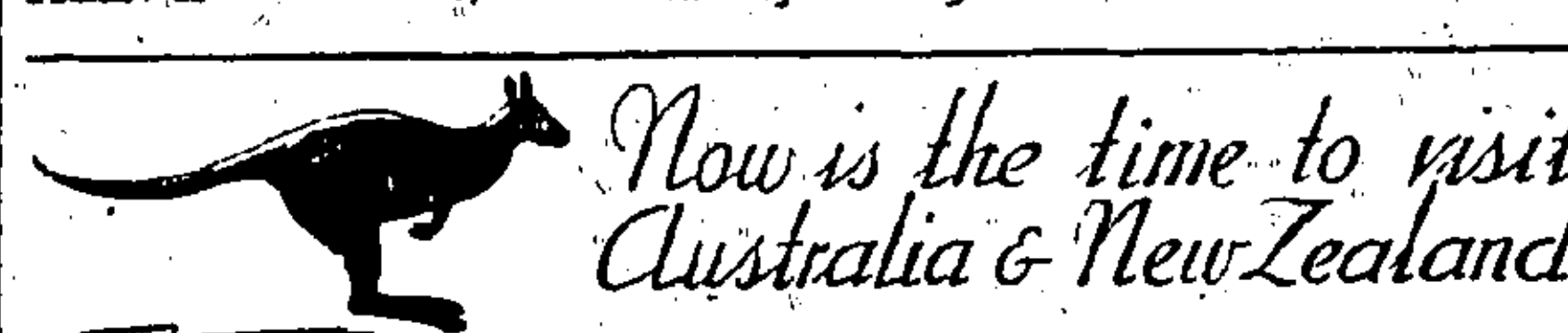
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RANPURA	17,000	13th June	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, R'dam, Antwerp & Hull
*SOUDAN	7,000	20th June	Bombay, Marseilles & London
RAWALPINDI	17,000	27th June	Bombay, Marseilles & London
CORFU	14,500	1st July	Bombay, Marseilles & London
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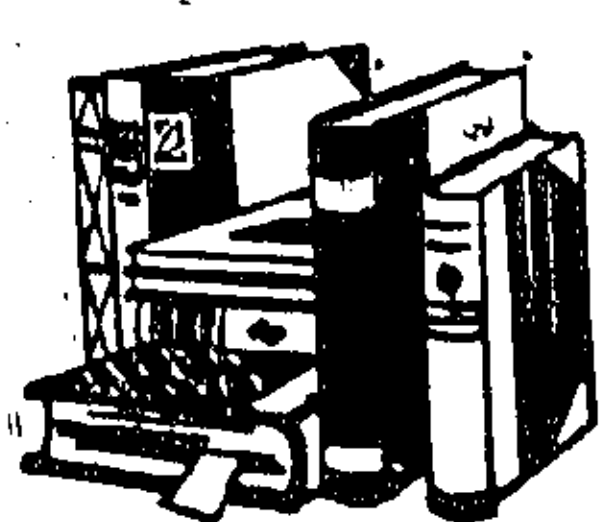
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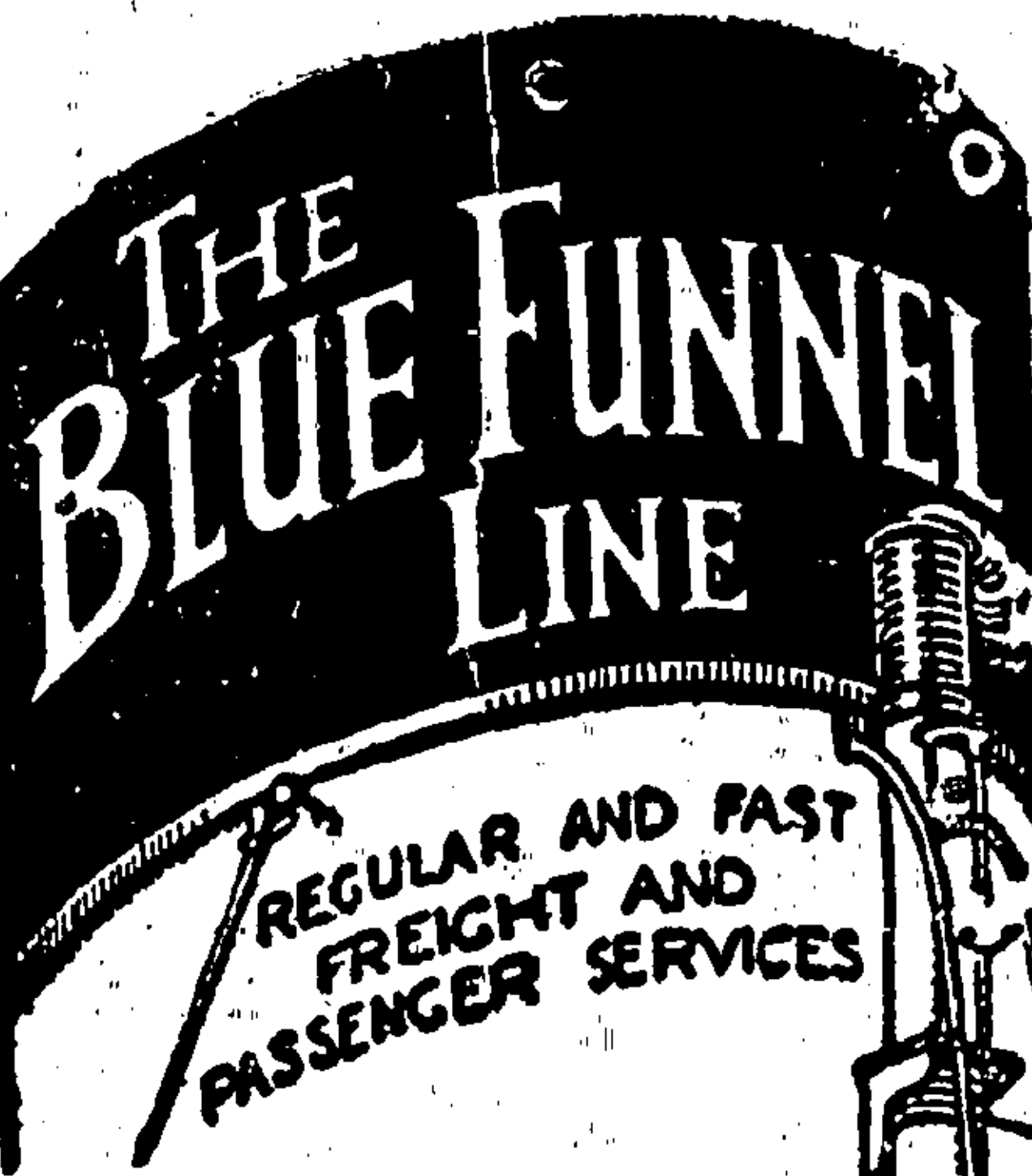
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HIGH WATER. LOW WATER.

Day of Week. Date. Time. Height. Time. Height.

Thur. 21. 8.50. 7.3. 02.38. 3.0.

Fri. 22. 08.50. 4.6. 18.10. 0.1.

Sat. 23. 09.34. 7.8. 03.00. 3.1.

Sun. 24. 10.11. 7.8. 18.55. 0.0.

Mon. 25. 00.50. 4.3. 04.10. 3.4.

Tues. 26. 01.55. 7.5. 18.30. 1.4.

Wed. 27. 02.41. 4.1. 05.87. 0.8.

03.38. 4.3. 08.20. 4.0.

13.08. 6.0. 20.50. 1.8.

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Hong Kong Observatory, May 30.

Previous On Date On Date

Day at at at at

at 4 p.m. 10 a.m. 4 p.m.

Barometer..... 29.73 29.82 29.77

Temperature..... 75 75 75

Humidity..... 94 93 91

Wind..... SSW E E

Direction..... 2 4 3

Force..... 0 OR 0

Weather..... 0 0 0

Rain..... 0 0 0

Highest open-air Temperature, 19.78

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